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BEAUTIFUL OLD AGE.

The following beautiful sketch of one of the too-often-belied race, exhibiting the beauty "of the old age which crowns a noble life," is from a sermon on old age, by Theodore Parker.

Miss Kindly is aunt to everybody, and has been so long that none remember to the contrary. The little children love her; she helped their grandmothers to bridal ornaments some three-score years ago Nay, this boy's grandfather found the way to college lay through her pocket. Generations not her own rise up and call her blessed. To this man's father her patient toil gave the first start in life. That great fortune—when it was a seed, she carried it in her hand That wide river of reputation ran out of the cup her bounty filled. Now she is old—very old. The little children, who cling about her, with open mouth and great round eyes, wonder that anybody should ever be so old; or that Aunt Kindly ever had a mother to kiss her mouth To them she is coeval with the sun, and, like that, an institution of the country. At Christmas they think she is the wife of St. Nicholas himself, such an advent is there of blessings from her hand. She has helped lay a Messiah in many a poor man's crib.

Her hands are thin—her voice feeble—her back is bent; she walks with a staff—the best limb of three. She wears a cap of antique pattern, yet of her own nice make. She has great round spectacles, and holds her book away off the other side of the candle when she reads. For more than sixty years she has been a special providence to the family. How she used to go forth—the very charity of God—to scath, and heal, bless! How industrious are her hands! How thoughtful and witty that fertile mind? Her heart has gathered power to love in all the eighty-six years of her toilsome life. When the birth-angel came to a related house, she was there to be the mother's mother; ay, mother also to the new-born baby's soul. And when the wings of death flapped in the street, and shook a neighbor's door; she smoothed down the pillow for the fainting head; and soothed and cheered the spirit of the waiting man, opening the curtains of heaven, that he might look through and see the welcoming face of the dear Infinite Mother; nay, she put the wings of her own strong experienced piety under him, and sought to bear him up.

Now these things are passed by. No, they are not passed by; they are remembered in the memory of the dear God, and every good deed she has done is treasured in her own heart. The bulb shuts up the summer in its breast which in winter will come out a fragrant hyacinth. Stratum after stratum her good works are laid up, imperishable in the geology of her character.

It is near noon now. She is alone. She has been thoughtful all day, talking inwardly to herself. The family notice it, and say nothing. In her chamber, from a private drawer, she takes a little casket, and from that a book, gilt-edged and clasped; but the clasp is worn, the gilding is old, the binding faded by long use. Her hands tremble as she opens it. First she reads her own name on the fly-leaf; only her Christian name, "Agnes," and the date. Sixty-eight years ago this day, it was written there, in a clear, youthful, clerkly hand—with a little tremble in it, as if the heart beat over-quick. It is very well worn, the dear old Bible. It opens of its own accord at the fourteenth chapter of St. John. There is a little folded piece of paper there; it touches the first verse and the twenty-seventh. She sees neither; she reads both out of her own soul, "Let not thine heart be troubled; ye believe in God; believe also in me;" "Peace I leave with you. My peace I give unto you. Not as the world giveth give I unto you" She opens the paper. There is a little brown dust in it; perhaps the remnant of a flower. She takes the precious relic in her hand, made cold by emotion. She drops a tear on it, and the dust is transfigured before her eyes: it is a red rose of the spring, not quite half blown, dewy fresh. She is old no longer. It is not Aunt Kindly now; it is sweet Agnes, as the maiden of eighteen was eight-and-sixty years ago, one day in May, when all nature was woosome and winning, and every flower bell rung in the marriage of the year. Her lover had just put that red rose of the spring into her hand, and the good God another in her cheek, not quite half blown, dewy fresh. The young man's arm is round her; her brown curls fall on his shoulder; she feels his breath on her face, his cheek on hers; their lips join, and like two morning dew-drops in that rose, their two loves rush into one. But the youth must wander to a far land. They will think of each other as they look at the Northern Star. She bids him take her Bible. He saw the North Star hang over the turrets of many a foreign town. His soul went to God—there is as straight a road from India as from any other spot—and his Bible came back to her—the Divine love in it, without the human love, the leaf turned down at the blessed words of St John, first and twenty-seventh of the fourteenth chapter. She put the rose there to note the spot; what marks the thought holds now the symbol of their youthful love.

Miscellaneous.

YE THAT SUFFER,
READ! READ!! READ!!!

DR. PAREIRAS
Great Italian Remedy!

FOR THE CERTAIN AND SPEEDY CURE OF DISEASES OF A PRIVATE NATURE, NO MATTER HOW LONG STANDING, WITHOUT ANY INJURIOUS EFFECT TO THE SYSTEM, OR ANY CHANGE OF DIET.

It Never has Failed—It Cannot Fail to Cure.

THIS Invaluable Specific, first introduced into Pisa some *fifty years* since, soon became so well known as a *'certain cure,'* that in every town and city, not only on the Continent, but in Great Britian, the demand for it was so *great* its merits so *astounding*, that in less than one year from its introduction it had *supplanted* all other remedies. The Medical Faculty of the principal cities of Europe were compelled to acknowledge its wonderful *mastery* over disease. Proprietors of other Medicine, jealous of its sway, vainly endeavored to stay its onward progress. Like grass before the mower, their efforts fell to the ground; and like fire on the praries, sweeping all before it, its onward march became *triumphant*. It stood forth upon its own merits; a discerning public saw, tried and was convinced of its *magical virtues*. The massive fortune acquired by Dr. Pareiras from the sale of it during the six years he prepared it, alone bore witness to its *miraculous merits*. At the decease of the Doctor, the recipe was bequeathed to his son, who has lately introduced the remedy into the United States. The number of *cures* it has already made are astonishing. *Thousands* and tens of thousands can bear testimony to its efficacy.

ALL WHO USE IT, IT WILL CURE,
With a safety, speed and certainty no other medicine has ever possessed.

RESORT TO NO QUACK NOSTRUMS,
Use a remedy that has been tried for the past *fifty years*, and was never known to fail.

BEWARE OF COUNTERFEITS.
The extensive sale of this wonderful medicine has already caused some person or persons, to palm off upon the unsuspecting, a sprious compound closely resembling the original. Be particular to buy none without the written signature of A. Pareira, M. D. on the outside wrapper of each bottle. All others are counterfeit, and their compounders will be punished with the utmost rigor of the law.

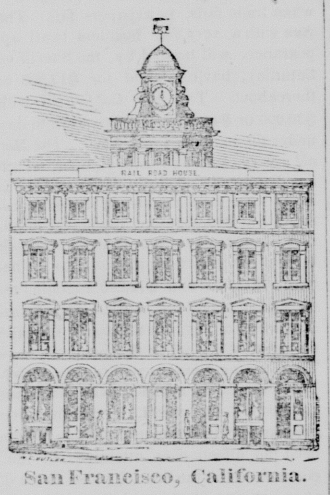
Price Three Dollars per bottle. For sale by D. Babcock, sole Agent for California, Oregon and the Sandwich Islands, to whom all orders must be addressed. A liberal discount made to wholesale dealers.

D. BABCOCK, Wholesale Druggist.
193 Clay street, San Francisco.

List of agents throughout the State.

RICE COFFIN & CO., Druggists, Marysville.
H. K. STARKWEATHER, City Drug store, Stockton.
W. H. BRUNER, Tuolumne Drug Store, Sonora.
BENJ. SHURTLEFF, Shasta Drug Store, Shasta.
GITCH & WORTHEN, Placerville Drug Store, Placerville.
JUSTIN GATES, Jr. Sacramento City.
Dr. R. W. CARR, Downieville.
Dr. JOHN FARR, Nevada.
Dr. W. H. GATLIFF, Yreka.
Dr. J. B. WINSTON, Los Angeles.
WHALY & MORSE, San Diego.
GEORGE L. STORY, Portland, O. T. d15-3m

RAIL-ROAD HOUSE,



San Francisco, California.

THIS HOUSE is now open for the accommodation of the Traveling Public. For cleanliness, air and comfort it is not surpassed on the Pacific, and one trial is a sufficient guarantee for continued patronage.

Attached to the House are two

Restaurants,

One Hundred and Twenty feet long, extending from Commercial to Clay street, and will accommodate Two Hundred persons at one time. The Floors and Tables are all Marble, and everything to correspond, and they now have the most complete arrangements for

Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner and Tea,

in San Francisco, and will be conducted upon the most liberal terms, being confident that liberality secures patronage.

The Hotel part of the House is kept upon the European Plan.

Barber's Shop and Bath Rooms are attached.

Entrance to the Hotel or Restaurants, 87 Clay street and 48 Commercial, near Battery.

HALEY & THOMPSON,
n24.3m Rail Road House.

Mariposa Bath House
AND
SHAVING SALOON!

Opposite the Franklin House, Mariposa.

THE undersigned, grateful for past patronage, would respectfully invite the inhabitants of Mariposa and vicinity, and also travelers and sojourners in this region, who may feel an inclination to take either a warm or cold bath, and get shaven, shorn, and shampooed, or either one of them, to give him a call.

j19-1y PHOENIX LANSING.

SAMUEL H. P. ROSS,
Justice of the Peace for Township No. 1.
AND
Notary Public under the late Act of 1853,

RESPECTFULLY offers his services to the citizens of Mariposa county, and particularly to the citizens of the Agricultural portions of the county, in preparing their declaratory statements. Having been the late County Surveyor, he will retrace the lines of the United States' survey that have been lost, and prepare the necessary diagraments to secure their claims at the Land Office at Benicia. Being generally known throughout the county, he deems no references necessary. Deeds, Mortgages, and other legal documents carefully written.

Office, near the Stone House, Merced river. Applications left at Snelling's Ranch, will be carefully attended to. m3-tf

WILLIAM NICHOLS,
The Oldest Butcher in Mariposa,

Familiarly known as "BLOODY NICK," continues to keep canstantly on hand, at his old stand on Main street, the best
AMERICAN BEEF AND PORK
the country affords, cheap for cash. He feels confident that in his branch of business he can't be beat, consequently he defies all competition.
Credit is dead and buried. j19-tf

Express and teamer Notices.

STELLE'S EXPRESS,
CONNECTING WITH
WELLS, FARGO & CO.

AT STOCKTON TO SAN FRANCISCO, ATLANTIC STATES AND EUROPE.

Sight Drafts on Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Offices in all the principal Atlantic Cities, for sale.

Express Business in all its branches promptly attended to.

☞ Gold Dust Bought.

OFFICES.

In Stockton ..... at ..... Wells, Fargo & Co.'s.
In Mount Ophir ..... at ..... Miller's Store.
In Mariposa ..... at ..... Main Street.
Hornitas ..... at ..... Burton & Barker's.

☞ French, Spanish, Irish, German, and American Newspapers for sale at all the offices.

ag11-tf G. W. STELLE.

ADAMS & CO.'S
EXPRESS AND BANKING OFFICE,
Charles street, Mariposa.

DAILY EXPRESS TO AND FROM STOCKTON, SAN FRANCISCO, SONORA, MOKELUMNE HILL, COLUMBIA, JAMESTOWN, &c.,

FOR the transmission of Gold Dust, Freight and Packages of every description.

—ALSO—

To and from SACRAMENTO, MARYSVILLE, and all parts of the Northern Mines.

—ALSO—

Semi-monthly, to and from OREGON.

TREASURE received for shipment for the *ATLANTIC STATES and EUROPE.*

BILLS OF EXCHANGE DRAWN ON OUR OFFICES IN
NEW YORK,
PHILADELPHIA,
WASHINGTON,
ST. LOUIS,
BOSTON,
BALTIMORE,
NEW ORLEANS,
PITTSBURG,
CINCINNATI,
LONDON.

GOLD DUST delivered at the United States Mint, and proceeds forwarded to any part of the Union.

j27-1y* ADAMS & CO.

WELLS, FARGO & CO.'S
NEW YORK, EUROPEAN AND CALIFORNIA
EXPRESS AND BANKING COMPANY.

CAPITAL, $500,000.

PRINCIPAL OFFICES—16 Wall street, New York, Express Building, corner of Montgomery and California streets, San Francisco,
8, Place de la Bourse, Paris.

WELLS, FARGO & CO. dispatch an Express to New York, and every city and town of the Atlantic States, by every steamer of the Regular Lines running between New York and San Francisco, both by the

NICARAGUA AND PANAMA ROUTES

accompanied by a Special Messenger on each steamer.

A DAILY EXPRESS, (accompanied by messengers,) is received and dispatched at SAN FRANCISCO, from and to SACRAMENTO, and all towns in the Northern Mines.

—ALSO—

From and to STOCKTON, and all towns in the Southern Mines.

Their Express to PORTLAND and the interior of OREGON, is dispatched by each steamer of the Mail Line.

Their Express to EUROPE is dispatched, via New York and the steamers of the Collins' Line.

SIGHT DRAFTS on New York, Philadelphia, Boston, St. Louis and Cincinnati.

—ALSO—

Payable in almost all the principal cities and towns in the Atlantic States and the Canadas.

EXPRESS OFFICE AND BANKING HOUSE, STOCKTON Centre street, between Main and Levee streets.

WELLS, FARGO & CO.,
J. M. VANSYCKLE, Agent.

SIGHT DRAFTS on all the above offices of Wells, Fargo & Co., for sale at the office of Stelle's Express, Mariposa.

feb10-tf G. W. STELLE.

Team For Sale.

A VALUABLE TEAM, consisting of Four Yoke of American Oxen, and a good Wagon.

The Cattle are in excellent condition, fit for Butchering or working, and will be sold cheap for Cash, or exchanged for Barley and Hay.

☞ Enquire at the ZINC STORE.
Mariposa, September 20, 1854.
sep22-tf DIMOND & CO.

Zinc Store.
DIMOND & CO.,

GRATEFUL for the very liberal patronage bestowed upon us, during the past year, would now inform our old friends and the public in general, that we have erected a large and commodious

Ware-House, at Algiers,

which is connected with our present Store by means of a

RAIL ROAD,

in which can be found a large and well selected Stock of Goods, suitable for Mining and other purposes.

Those wishing to purchase largely, we respectfully solicit to give us a call, as we will sell lower than the lowest.

Our Stock of CLOTHING, BOOTS, SHOES, DRILLS, and DOMESTICS, is well adapted for this market.

☞ CALL AND SEE HOW CHEAP WE CAN SELL ☜
Mariposa, Sept. 20, 1854. sep22-tf

Steam GRIT MILL.

THE subscriber having made a number of improvements in his Steam Mill, is now prepared to furnish the public with

FRESH GROUND FLOUR!

of a superior quality.

—ALSO—

GROUND BARLEY, WHOLESALE OR RETAIL,

and as cheap as these articles can be furnished by any house in town.

Enquire at the Mill, on Bullion street, nearly opposite Taylor's Stable. Mariposa, Sept. 20, 1850.
sep22-tf N. HASKELL.

For Sale!

TWO FINE CLAIMS,
SITUATED OPPOSITE TO SNELLING'S.

A beautiful stream of water has recently been carried through nearly the centre of the Ranch for the purpose of running a GRIST MILL on the adjoining Ranch, which is of inestimable worth for irrigation

All kinds of Vegetables can be raised the season through.

Between one and two hundred acres are fenced, and over one hundred acres are under cultivation. There are fifty acres of Volunteer Barley, well bushed and harrowed, and there is plenty of Timber and all the natural conveniences that can be found on any Ranch in the country.

☞ Any person wishing to purchase at his own price, will please call and see. We are in for a bargain.

sep15-tf JOHN W. WEBSTER & CO.

Come One, COME ALL!!

EVER desiring to please, ever striving to deserve the patronage of my friends, and the public at large, I have made extensive additions to my Stock, and now flatter myself that I have the best assortment of

Choice Family Groceries,
PROVISIONS, LIQUORS,
Wines Cigars, CLOTHING,
BOOTS, &c., &c.,

THAT CAN BE FOUND IN ANY STORE IN THIS STATE.

Housekeepers and Miners would do well to replenish their Stock of Provisions and Groceries at the present time, and by calling upon the undersigned, they will save by so doing, as I am about to sell cheaper than any other house in this town.

Try me once, and you will be sure to call again.

L. FRANKL,
o20-tf Mariposa, Main streert.

Mariposa Advertisements.

NEW MADRID
Steam Saw-Mill.

Not in the Field of Competition, but
RUNNING ON THE INDEPENDENT LINE!
SITUATED ON CHARLES STREET,
ONLY ONE BLOCK FROM COURT-HOUSE SQUARE.

THIS MILL HAVING RESUMED BUSINESS, is in good repair, and is prepared to deliver LUMBER, in the town of Mariposa and vicinity, at short notice; or will deliver large bills in any part of the county where there is a practicable road.

Mr. STEPTOE, the Clerk, will still be found at the Mill, and will attend to orders in his usual prompt, pleasant manner. [sep8 tf] W. S. KAVANAUGH.

New Hotel.
Main Street, Mariposa.

REYNOLDS & NEWCOMB Proprietors.

HAVING LEASED THE HOTEL FORMERLY KEPT BY WILLIAM PHILLIPS, in the Town of Mariposa, and having made extensive additions and improvements in the same, are now ready to entertain the public with the

BEST THE MARKET AFFORDS,

And hope by a strict attention to the wants and comfort of travelers, and others who may favor us with a call, to receive a fair share of patronage.

S. S. REYNOLDS
June 9-tf C. J. NEWCOMB.

TAYLOR'S
Livery Stable,

On Fourth street, between Main and Bullion streets, Mariposa.

☞ OFFICE AT PHILLIP'S HOTEL. ☜

THIS Favorite Stable has been enlarged and fitted up in the best manner, and is supplied with a stream of

RUNNING WATER,

and an abundance of the Best Feed, which is kept for animals to eat.

The best care taken of all Stock left at this Stable.

Charges moderate enough to suit the most economical.

Saddle Horses to let and animals taken on Livery by the day week or month.

o6-tf W. B. TAYLOR.

Money Saved
IS
MONEY MADE

BY recent arrangements made with our House in San Francisco, we are prepared to sell the

FIRST QUALITY OF CIGARS

as low as they can be bought in San Francisco.

We shall keep constantly on hand a large stock of the best

HAVANA CIGARS,

and would advise Merchants, Hotel and Saloon keepers, and the trade in general, to examine our stock before purchasing elsewhere.

STORE ON MAIN STREET, MARIPOSA.

N. B. Tobacco, Hardware, Stationery, &c., &c., constantly on hand.

j19-1y S. COHN & CO.

"Our House!"

UPPER AGUA FRIO.
WILLIAM KETTON & CO.,

HAVING thoroughly renovated the above Hotel, are now prepared to accommodate the traveling public, and others, with comfortable quarters, as good board as can be found at any other house in the mines, and with as

GOOD LIQUORS AND CIGARS,

as can be found in the market.

Those in want of a pleasant home are requested to give us a trial. Upper Agua Frio, August 11, 1854.
ag11-tf WILLIAM KETTON & CO.

"Old Virginia never Tire."
Neither does New England.
The Pioneer
Steam Saw Mill,
ON SHERLOCK'S CREEK,

STILL CONTINUES TO RATTLE OUT THE BEST QUALITY OF

LUMBER,

Of every description, from the shortest to the longest and widest, and the three six mule teams, are always on hand to deliver Lumber to any part of the County, where a wagon can run, at the shortest possible notice. B. WHITE & CO.,
jy 21 y By G. GREEN, Agent.

GUNSMITHING.
RIFLES, FOWLING PIECES, AND COLT'S PISTOLS,

Will be repaired by the undersigned in a neat and substantial manner, upon short notice.

Shop situated on Charles, between 4th and 5th streets, Mariposa.
j19-1y J. N. THOMAS.

El Dorado Hotel,
RESTAURANT,
AND
COFFEE SALOON,
On Charles, between 3rd and 4th streets,
Mariposa.

THE PROPRIETORS of this well known establishment would inform the public that they have moved into their NEW HOUSE, opposite the old El Dorado, where they will be happy to meet all of their old friends. They believe they can furnish board, better and cheaper, than any other Hotel in Mariposa.

The choicest WINES and best LIQUORS in the country, will be kept at the BAR.

To travelers and persons visiting Mariposa, they offer accommodations not to be met with at any other Hotel in town.

SOUPS and STEWS of all descriptions, and all kinds of GAME constantly on hand.

All kinds of CAKES made on the shortest notice.

For the benefit of the public, they will keep their house open until 1 o'clock in the morning.

Board per week, $10. Single Meals, $1. Extras charged for accordingly. Payment to be invariably in advance. AUGUSTE PUJOL & CO.,
ag 18 5m. Proprietors.

Doctors Thos. Payne & W. W. Ward

HAVE associated themselves in the practice of their Profession. Office, on Main street, where one or both may be found at all hours.

Mariposa, April 18th, 1854. ap21-y6*

Cunningham's
HOTEL.

SITUATED at the Junction of the Agua Frio and Mariposa Roads, offers inducements to Travellers, Teamsters, and others, rarely met with in the Mines. The

BOARDING AND LODGING DEPARTMENT

is under the superintendence of a Lady of acknowledged abilities. Attached to the House is a DEEP WELL, of most excellent Water, and numerous Shade Trees render this place one of the most pleasant locations in the country. Our Table, Liquors, and Beds, will be found inferior to none, and prices to suit the times.

LEVI JORDAN
Cunningham Ranch, Aug. 21, 1854. au25 6m

Mariposa Advertisements.

Mrs. S. A. Prior,
DRESS-MAKER AND GENERAL SEAMSTRESS,
☞ HOUSE ON BULLION STREET, ADJOINING THE HOSPITAL. ☜
MARIPOSA.

N. D. FAIRBANKS. T. C. OSBORN.
Fairbanks & Osborn,
WHOLESALE DEALERS IN
Groceries, Provisions, Liquors, &c.,
BRICK BLOCK ON MAIN STREET,
Between El Dorado and Hunter sts.
ag 18 tf STOCKTON.

John H. Neale,
Manufacturing
JEWELER.

THE SUBSCRIBER HAVING RETURNED FROM THE "States," and resumed his old business

On Main Street, next door above Adams & Co.'s Express Office,

Would inform his old friends and the public generally, that he is now prepared to make and repair all kinds of

JEWELRY,

REPAIR WATCHES, AND TUNE AND REPAIR MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, OF ALL KINDS.

In a workmanlike manner and on reasonable terms.

A splendid assortment of QUARTZ ROCK, highly polished, on hand, suitable for Brooches, Pins, Rings, Studs, Cane Heads, &c.

☞ Don't forget, next door above Adams & Co.'s office. Mariposa, June 9th, 1854.
ju 9-tf JOHN H. NEALE, AGENT.

C. D. O'SULLIVAN. WM. F. CASHMAN.
SULLIVAN & CASHMAN,
Main Street, Mariposa,

FEELING grateful for the patronage they have received, now inform their friends and the public generally, that they have recently made arrangements in the

Atlantic States,

to receive their Goods direct from

New York and Boston.

They have also erected a large and commodious Warehouse adjacent to their present Store, where will be found the largest assortment of Goods ever before in Mariposa.

Wholesale Buyers

are particularly invited to give us a call, and examine our Goods, as we are determined to sell as low as can be had from

Stockton and San Francisco.

The same advantages are to be had at our Store at

Coultersville,
On Maxwell's Creek.

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Soda Water
MANUFACTORY,
Main Street, Mariposa.

KRAFFT, HOWELL & RICE, PROPRIETORS. Would respectfully inform their friends and the public generally, that they are now in active operation, and are prepared to supply all demands for their celebrated SODA WATER or "POP."—Thankful for past favors, they hope by strict attention to business, to merit a continuance of the patronage heretofore so liberally bestowed upon them. ap21.

JAMES M. BLACKWELL,
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,
FOR TOWNSHIP NO. 3, MARIPOSA COUNTY.

☞ Office over Young & Johnson's Store, Lower Agua Frio. October 6, 1854.—tf

FRANKLIN HOUSE,
STILL IN THE ASCENDENCY!!

THE UNDERSIGNED takes pleasure in announcing to his old friends and the public generally, that he has re-leased the above well known House, for the purpose of keeping a

HOTEL
AND
BOARDING HOUSE,

where strangers will find all the comforts of a First Class Hotel.

THE TABLE

will be supplied with the best the market affords.

Meals, Oyster Stews, &c.,

can be obtained at all hours.

Neatness and quietness will at all times be preserved.

Boarding by the week on the most reasonable terms.

Private rooms neatly fitted and furnished.

THE BAR

will be supplied with the choicest Liquors of all kinds, and the best Cigars.

FRANK WILLIAMS.

Attached to the above Hotel is an excellent STABLE, where animals will be fed on the best of hay and grain, and will be cleaned and brought up at the shortest notice. Saddle horses to let m24-tf

WHITTIER'S HOTEL.
LOWER AGUA FRIO,
Re-Opened.

THE subscriber begs leave to inform his friends and the public generally, that he has Re-Opened the above

WELL KNOWN HOTEL,

for the accommodation of all who may favor him with a call.

THE BAR AND TABLE need no comments, as they will be, as heretofore, unrivaled by any in the County.

Attached to the Hotel is a superior
BILLIARD TABLE.

Stabling for animals on the most reasonable terms.

o6-3m JOS. H. WHITTIER, Proprietor.

The Eyes! The Eyes!!
DR. E. H. PARDEE, OCULIST.

AFTER a protracted blindness of more than five years, DR. PARDEE has made himself thoroughly and scientifically acquainted with all disorders of the Eye, and is now practising, with universal success, the same treatment by which he was cured.

A WORD OF CAUTION—The Eye is by far too precious and delicate an organ to be trifled with or made the subject of random experiments; therefore it would be exceedingly unwise, and perhaps dangerous, to accept any of the "Never-Failing Cures" that are tendered by the mistaken kindness of all around, "for every one offers a specific for diseases of the eye.

☞ Many patients can be seen daily at the office of DR. PARDEE, in different stages of recovery.

OFFICE—San Francisco, west of the Plaza, opposite the Post Office, one door north of the Portsmouth House, up stairs. sep1-tf

Removal.—DR. L. M. DOFWIN, DENTIST, has removed from 240 Washington street, to Bush street, opposite the Passette House, where he is prepared to perform all operations in Dentistry upon the latest and most approved principles. o14-tf

Legal Notices.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, } In the County Court of Tulare
COUNTY OF TULARE. } County.

PHILIP WAGY ex. HIS CREDITORS: The petition, schedule, and affidavit required by law, having been filed in the office of the Clerk of the County Court of Tulare County, said Clerk is hereby directed to give notice, and notice is hereby given, that all the Creditors of Philip Wagy of Visalia, in said County, Cal., Miller, shall show cause, if any they can, within thirty days from the date of the publication of this notice, to wit, on Monday the twelfth day of February 1855 A. D. at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at Visalia, in said State and County, before me the undersigned John Cutler, County Judge of said County, at Chambers, why an assignment of the insolvent estate of said Insolvent Debtor should not be made, and he be discharged from his debts, in pursuance of the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act for the relief of Insolvent Debtors and protection of Creditors, passed May 4, 1852."

Witness my hand, with the seal of the County Court of Tulare County affixed this 22d day of December A. D. 1854 at Visalia.

{L. S.}

JOHN CUTLER, County Judge Tul. Co.

This certifies the above to be a true and correct copy of an order made and entered on the Docket of the County Court of Tulare County, by John Cutler, County Judge Tul. Co., bearing date 22d day of December 1854.

G. B. GORDON, County Clerk Tulare County.
H. N. CARROL, Deputy. j12-5t

CONSTABLE'S SALE.—By virtue of an Execution directed to me, and issued from the Court of Alfred F. Washburn, a Justice of the Peace for Town-ship No. 3, Mariposa County, wherein Cornelius Shenck, is plaintiff, and A. W. Hulse, is defendant, I have levied on, and will expose to sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Court House door in the town of Mariposa, on Saturday the 10th day of February 1855, between the hours of 9 o'clock A. M, and 5 P. M. all the right, title and interest, of the said A. W. Hulse in the following property, to wit:—a certain Steam Saw Mill situated about 25 miles south-east of Fort Miller, levied upon as the property of said Hulse.

j 12-4t NAT. HARBERT, Constable.

CITATION.—STATE OF CALIFORNIA, } S. S.
County of Mariposa.

The people of the State of California to Williston Wheeler.

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before a Justice of the Peace in and for said County at my office in Coultersville at 10 o'clock A. M. on Saturday, the 3d day of February A. D. 1855, to answer the complaint of Nelson Madget in an action of assumpsit, wherein the said Plaintiff claims the sum of Five Hundred Dollars.

And for a failure to appear and answer, the Plaintiff will take Judgement against you for the said sum of Five Hundred Dollars, and costs of suit.

Given under my hand this the 13th day of January A. D. 1855.

A. W. BLAIR, J. P.

On Affidavit made, it is ordered that service of this summons be made by a publication thereof, once a week for three weeks in the Mariposa Chronicle.

Given this 13th day of January A. D. 1855.

j19-3t A. W. BLAIR, J. P.

SHERIFF'S SALE.—By virtue of an Execution to me directed, from the Superior Court in the City of San Francisco, in favor of G. J. Hubert Sanders, Plaintiff, and against the Quartz Rock Mariposa Gold Mining Company, Defendants, I will offer for sale as the law directs, on Saturday, the 3d day of February, 1855, the following property, to wit:—a certain Quartz Crushing Machinery, together with Mill House, Dwelling House and all other Improvements and Real Estate, belonging to the Quartz Rock Mariposa Gold Mining Company, all lying and being situated on Maxwell's Creek, one and a half miles below Coulterville, Mariposa County.

Terms of sale, Cash.

Mariposa, Jan. 10th 1855.

J. BOLING, Sheriff.

At the request of the Plaintiff, the above Sale is postponed until Saturday, the 17th day of February, 1855.

J. BOLING, Sheriff

THE PUBLIC ARE NOTIFIED that the above sale is and will be, if made, subject to a certain mortgage of said Quartz Rock Mariposa Mining Co. to John V. Plume, to secure him in the sum of certain indebtedness of said Company, now amounting to about $25,000; and any purchaser of the said property, will take the same subject to said mortgage, which is recorded in the office of the Recorder of Mariposa.

January 19th 1855.

JOHN M. CAUGHLIN, Agent for
j26-2t JOHN V. PLUME.

SHERIFFS SALE.—I will sell to the highest bidder, by virtue of an Execution in favor of E. C. Springer, Plaintiff, and against F. O. Nelson, Defendant, before the Court House door in the town of Mariposa, on Saturday, the 17th day of February, A. D. 1855, all of the right, title and interest of the Defendant F. O. Nelson, in and to two Quartz Ledges, one near the old Court House, in the town of Agua Frio, the other near Green's Gulch and about one mile south of Mount Ophir. Persons wishing to purchase, will have the locality of the property defined by the county record on the day of sale.

Terms of sale, cash.

Mariposa, January 24th 1855.

j26-4t J. BOLING, Sheriff.

Dissolution.

THE Co partnership formerly existing under the name of Stair & Baldrige, was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of January 1855.

All persons indebted to the late firm are requested to settle without delay, and all claims against the concern will be paid on presentation to Alex Stair, Agent.

Coulterville, January 18th 1855.

ALEX STAIR,
j26-3t* J. H. BALDRIGE.

Notice.

MARBLE SPRING QUARTZ VEIN.

The undersigned takes this method to inform all those whom it may concern, that he has just returned from San Francisco with a supply of Quartz Machinery for a mill for the above ledge, together with mining tools &c. Therefore, those interested are hereby notified that on, or before the 1st of May next, he will proceed to erect a mill at or near the mouth of the Mill Gulch embracing the waters of the North Fork of the Merced river, the same mill site and water privilege having been recorded in Mariposa. R. A. EUBANK, Agent.

j26-3t

FRANKLIN
Livery Stable!

HAVING re-fitted the Large and Comfortable Stable attached to the "FRANKLIN HOUSE," I am prepared to attend to the great rush which I expect will result from this announcement.

MR. C. SIMPSON, an experienced Ostler, will always be on hand at the Franklin House to take charge of animals, and provide for their wants.

Horses taken on Livery at reasonable rates, and Saddle Horses to Let at all times.

N. B. Don't be afraid to overrun me with Custom as I am prepared to accommodate as many animals as can be found on a Mexican Ranch, and besides I don't feed the same grain and hay to a dozen different animals, but give them a "big feed," and charge almost nothing for it. Mariposa, Oct. 3, 1854. FRANK WILLIAMS.

o6-tf Franklin House Stables.

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HENRY S. FITCH respectfully announces to the public, that he has associated with him in business MR. A. MARIUS CHAPELLE and MR. LEOPOLD LOWENBERG—both gentlemen of experience in Real Estate sales.

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☞ Those desirous of having their property sold at private or public sales, will please hand in description of the same, to be entered on the register at their office.

HENRY S. FITCH,
A. MARIUS CHAPELLE.
feb10-tf LEOPOLD LOWENBERG

WALLACE'S
GARDEN RANCH,
AND
GENERAL PROVISION STORE,
MT. OPHIR.

THE public of Mt. Ophir and surrounding district are informed that this establishment is now supplied with one of the largest and best assorted stocks of Goods in the line, that can be found in the County, all or any portion of which will be sold as low as the lowest.

In the Boarding and Lodging department, every attention will be shown to patrons.

Regular boarders and sojourners will always find a well furnished table, and good clean beds.

feb10-tf HENRY WALLACE.

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MARIPOSA:

FRIDAY MORNING, FEB. 2, 1855.

☞ MR. JOHN E. METSON, Mail Carrier between this place and Sonora, is hereby authorised to receive any advertisements, job work, subscriptions, or moneys intended for the Mariposa Chronicle.

☞ DAVID W. BUCK, No. 142 Clay Street, is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

Thanks to Wells, Fargo & Co., for Atlantic papers and other express favors.

Messrs. Gardner and Stelle have also laid us under obligations for favors; the latter for a variety of Eastern papers and California exchanges.

Mr. De Hart will please accept our "pious regards" for his kindly remembrancer in the shape of a pair of fine ducks. May his shadow never grow less!

We refer our readers to the advertisement of Mr. Hayes in another column. Mr. Hayes is one of the oldest residents of the county, is well and favorably known and deserves a "crowded house." We recommend the travelling public and others to give him a call.

Dentistry.—We are happy to announce the return of Dr. Thorner to his old quarters in this place, where all persons desirous of his services will find him, ready to execute their commands in the most skilful manner. His card can be found in another column.

We also call the attention of the public to the corrected advertisement of Dr. Grandvoinet. The Doctor has lately opened a fine stock of drugs, perfumery and fancy articles in his new fire proof store. His enterprise deserves a liberal share of patronage. Give him a call.

Another Lump.—A fine piece of quartz and gold was found by a Frenchman on Wednesday last, in his claim on the Mariposa, about one mile below town. It weighs 68 ounces, and is estimated to contain from $500 to $600.

Rich Lead.—An extremely rich lead of decomposed quartz was discovered in the bed of Burns' Creek, about one mile from Hornitas, on Friday last, which is said to yield from $200 to $600 per day.

Court of Sessions.—The next term of the Court of Sessions commences on Monday next, at the new Court House.

Thief Shot.—Mr. Kirk sheriff of Stanislaus Connty, pursuing three horse thieves one day last week, came suddenly upon them in the willows near Grayson City. One was shot dead, the other two escaped.

Hung.—Brown, concerning whom so much excitement prevailed at Los Angeles, was found in jail by the mob, taken out and hung.

Opposition to Monopoly.—We are pleased to hear that the citizens of Stockton have succeeded in their efforts to procure a steamer to run between that place and San Francisco, in opposition to the monopoly company. The rates of passage have been put down to Cabin, $3; Deck, $1; freight per ton, $3.

We hope that every individual in the Southern mines, whose pleasure or business calls him to San Francisco, will bestow his patronage upon this line, and thus add his mite to sustain this important movement.

Stockton is by virtue of her position, the natural point of delivery for the Southern mining section of California, but the want of enterprise, and the fogyism of her business men hitherto, has prevented her from deriving any advantages from that position. We trust that this new enterprise will prove but the beginning of a "good time coming" for the citizens of Stockton, and the vast extent of mining country which lies almost at her very feet.

Sentence of Mr. John Tabor.—Mr. John Tabor, formerly editor of the Stockton Journal, found guilty of the murder of Joseph Mansfield, of the Republican, in June last, has been sentenced to suffer the extreme penalty of the law on the 16th of March next. Petitions are in circulation, praying the Governor to pardon the unfortunate man. We heartily endorse the following, from the Calaveras Chronicle, in relation to the matter:—In a moment of passion—or indeed, we might say fright, lest the deceased might attack him—this young man committed the rash and unprovoked act, which has rendered his life a forfeit to the laws of his country. All his former exemplary life and conduct are no more thought of, but his name is to be associated with the lawless and the outcast. It is no wonder then, that his friends exert themselves on his behalf, and invoke the clemency of the Executive. If there be instances wherein that clemency may be exercised, without danger to the community, this, all will admit, is such an instance. The commutation of sentence, or pardon, of a man such as Mr. Tabor has been, (with this single exception)—of peaceable, quiet, reserved manners, and strict morals, a promoter of the cause of temperance, social order, and religion—can in nowise endanger the peace of the community, or risk the ease or comfort of anybody. To compare this case with certain others where pardons have been so freely granted, would be ridiculous; and we think the Governor will be free from censure were he to comply with the the request of the prisoner's friends and interpose the prerogative of mercy.

MR. FLOURNOY AND DR. GWIN.

We have witnessed with surprise the course pursued by Mr. Flournoy during the present ballotings for a U. S. Senator in the joint Convention at Sacramento. The contest last fall, which resulted in the election of Messrs. Flournoy and Burke to the Assembly, is not yet forgotten, nor the embittered personal feeling which exhibited itself among the different aspirants for Legislative honors.

It was well known at that time, that the people of this county, irrespective of party, were united almost to a man in favor of the re-election of Dr Gwin to the U. S. Senate, and we assert that this was the only real issue before the people. All who were opposed to certain candidates were denounced as servile, pliant tools to advance the personal interests & ambition of David C Broderick. Mr. Burke would doubtless now be occupying a seat in his own office instead of in the Assembly, if to his personal popularity he had not added his public pledge to support Dr. Gwin.

To impress more strongly upon the public mind the necessity of electing the democratic candidates for the Assembly, it was urged by Mr Flournoy that as a U. S. Senator would most probably be selected in caucus, and Mr. Burke, being a whig, could not gain admittance into that caucus, he could not therefore be of any real service in re-electing Dr. Gwin.

Night after night our hills were made to resound with the "burning eloquence" of candidates, striving for a position which but two could reach at best, and they *only* by their oft repeated pledges, upon the stump and elsewhere, to support Dr. Gwin for the U. S. Senate, "first, last and all the time."

No one believed for a single moment that the gentleman whose name heads this article would, or even *could* forget his obligations to his constituents. How has the result sustained this confidence? Mr. Flournoy has cast ONE vote for Dr. Gwin, and *thirty-one* for Mr. McCorkle, a man who until quite recently, was scarcely dreamed of for the position of Senator, and to have expressed a sympathy for whom would have cost Mr. Flournoy the seat he now occupies. Is that *one* vote to absolve him from his direct and unconditional pledge to his constituents, to support Dr. Gwin and none other? If so, then alas for the frailty of all human Legislators!

CATTLE THIEVES HUNG.

Mr. Stratton has favored us with the particulars of the execution of three cattle thieves on the San Joaquin, on the 22d inst. His account does not differ materially from the following which we take from the Republican of Sunday last:

"On Friday night, 19th inst., twenty-five head of cattle were stolen from the ranch of Livermore and Runnells, in Contra Costa county. Early the next morning parties started in all directions in search of the thieves and cattle. Mr. J. A. Neal, a stock dealer, accompanied by another man, struck their trail on Saturday, and followed it through the mountains till 12 M. that night. In the morning, on striking out into the plains, he discovered where a calf had been butchered, and from some men encamped in the vicinity, he learned that the cattle were driven by three men, Mr. N. kept up the pursuit till Sunday morning, when he overhauled the party in the vicinity of Smith & Johnsons ranch, near the San Joaquin river.

These men proved to be three of the most desperate men in the county, named Salvador Baldres, Jose Stuar and Juan P. Gonzales—the first named a Californian and the two latter Chilenos. Neal, with the assistance of a neighbor, took two of the party prisoners. The third drew his revolver, but before he had time to fire, one of his persuers shot him in the face. He immediately put spurs to his horse and crossed the river. After a chase of eight miles, he was captured by Neal and brought back. On Monday morning, thirty or forty of the citizens assembled, and proposed that the prisoners should be tried on the spot. It was decided that evidence should be heard before condemning the prisoners. The people were cool, calm and collected on the occasion, but the proof was such that all present were satisfied with their guilt' and the verdict was, that they should be taken to a large oak, a short distance off, and there hung by the neck till dead.

On arriving at the fatal spot, the Californian made a confession. He said he had committed many crimes; that he had stolen horses and cattle in the lower Country last October, was arrested by the Sheriff and made his escape; that he was connected with a large band of cattle thieves, fifteen of whom were now on their way from Southern California; that he saw one of the number (Jose Ferrir) eight days since, on his way up to Jackson to get the remainder of the band in that neighborhood, to assist in taking stock from Livermore, and others in that vicinity; and that the four horses in their possession were stolen ten days since from Pimole Ranch; also that he had murdered *seven* men during his lifetime. He promised the people that if they would accompany him he would deliver the whole band into their hands; he was willing to die for the many sins he had committed, and hoped the people would forgive him. The others had but little to say, but acknowledged the justness of their sentence, and said they were willing to die. On the person of one of them a note was found, written by one of the band, stating that they must unite and operate together in future; that they had been too widely separated heretofore, but now everything was arranged to do business on a large scale. At 2 o'clock P. M. the ropes were adjusted, and these unfortunate culprits launched into eternity."

THE COURT HOUSE.

There are a few persons in this vicinity who imagine—or pretend to—that after all the time, talk and trouble that has been expended, we are still destitute of a Court House, and that we are to remain in this condition for a few months longer, when the gentleman who exercises supreme authority in such matters, will erect a magnificent and costly structure of brick for the accommodation of himself and the inferior officers of the County.

We know not but these reports may all be correct, but we do know that a few days since we examined a building said to have been erected for the purposes above mentioned, by the properly constituted authorities, and which, in our opinion, is admirably adapted to the uses for which it was designed. It is a handsome and commodious building, forty feet wide, fifty feet long and two stories in hight. The lower story is ten feet high and contains offices for the clerk, recorder, treasurer and sheriff, together with a grand jury room. Two flights of stairs lead to the second story, which is fourteen feet high, and contains the Court room and two jury rooms. The Court room is forty one feet by thirty nine. A neat bar encloses the judge's desk, two separate jury boxes and ample space for the clerk, witnesses, counsel and other parties engaged in suits. The space outside of the bar is arranged in slips, which will comfortably seat one hundred and eighty or two hundred persons. All of the rooms are ceiled, and well lighted and ventilated. The external appearance of the building has drawn forth many expressions of admiration for its neatness and correct proportions. Its style is the Grecian Doric, which is one of the most appropriate for a public building.

In connection with this subject, we can not forbear alluding to the disproval manifested by the people generally, of the course pursued by the County Auditor in refusing to obey the repeated orders of the Court of Sessions, directing him to draw his warrants upon the Building Fund in favor of the contractors.

Whether the action of the Court was legal or not, we believe it was clearly the duty of the Auditor to issue the warrants as directed, *not* to arrogate to himself any of the functions which properly belong to the Supreme Court of the State.

TERRIBLE EXPLOSION!

The following account of the terrible explosion on the Pearl, on Saturday evening last, is from the S. J. Republican;

The steam boat "Pearl," from Marysville, was in sight of Sacramento when her boiler exploded, making a compleete wreck of the boat, and scalding and killing many of the passengers. She had on board 140 passengers, of whom 35 were Chinamen. The upper deck was blown off, and crowds of passengers clung to it as the mass floated down the river. The boatmen were promptly on hand to render the sufferers assistance, and crowds of citizens were soon at the scene of disaster.

It is thought 50 lives were lost. A dozen persons were blown into the air. The Captain was blown overboard and drowned. His body has not yet been found. The pilot was not hurt. Mr. McBride, Wells, Fargo & Co.'s messenger, was lost. Mr. Keither, Adams, & Co.'s messenger, had just gone aft and left his letter-bag with Mr. McBride, and was thus saved.

The wounded were taken to the City Hospital and cared for. Randall, the mate is dead.

Among the passengers whose death is most lamented was Col Anderson, a distinguished lawyer, from Nevada.

A correct list of the wounded and dead cannot be obtained.

The Coroner is now holding an inquest. The Chinamen suffered greatly. A dozen of them have limbs fractured, and are badly scalded. There are fourteen dead bodies at the station house, among which three white men and six Chinamen have been identified. The body of Col Anderson was taken to a private house, and will be buried to-morrow.

Four ladies were on board, and all saved.

One man, blown into the water, was saved by his *dog*.

Judge Fry, in the absence of the Croner, is now holding an investigation.

Gross negligence was the cause of the disaster.

From the Lower Country.—The San Jose Tribune has the following extract from a letter dated Fernando Valley San Diego County, Jany 14th:

"Horses and cattle are selling very low at the present time. I saw a *manada* of one hundred head sold in Los Angeles the other day for $7,37 per head, none of them under one year old. Cows are selling at from $13 to $18 per head; Steers at from $10 to $15; Sheep, ewes, are worth from $4 to $6; weathers from $5 to $6. American cattle are looking up and they command a pretty high price at present. Grass is getting good. We have had several very hard rains. This is certainly the finest country for grazing in the State, but that is all it is good for, as there is not sufficient timber to fence and otherwise improve the land.

My old friend Charvis, the friend and former partner of F. X. Aubry, passed through here yesterday with 18000 sheep, just through from New Mexico. He came through losing but 800 out of 18000. He started with one of the finest lot of New Mexican sheep I ever saw, he has had but very little trouble with the Indians; has forty men all in good health. Mr. Charvis is now on his way to your valley."

Lynch Law at Salmon Creek.—A correspondent of the California Express, writing from Bestville, states that two men, named Craig and Moran, had a difficulty with regard to a fight between two other men, when the former struck the latter in the face twice; then Moran drew a knife and stabbed Craig to the heart, killing him instantly. Moran made his escape, but was finally arrested by the officers of the law, from whom he was violently wrested. A jury of the people was then empanelled, and he was tried and convicted of manslaughter in the first degree. Not satisfied with the verdict, the mob took the miserable prisoner and hung him to a tree. Moran was a young man, born in the city of New York.

Sacramento, Jan. 27, 1855.

Messrs. Editors:—I have just returned from a visit to the Hospital, where I witnessed the most appalling and heart rending scene, which it has ever been my lot to behold.

Some fifteen or twenty of the sufferers from the ill fated "Pearl" were lying there mangled, burnt and scalded in a manner which beggars all description. I also visited the wreck—but I must leave you to gather the details from the papers.

The fourth week of the sixth Session of the Legislature has just closed, and the question will no doubt be asked, what has thus far been accomplished?

I regret, for the honor of the Legislature, and for the welfare of the State, that the account of things done, tending to the benefit of the people, must be so meagre; whilst a rehearsal of the farcical proceedings in connection with the election of a United States Senator, a chaplain to the House &c., must necessarily be so voluminous.

Many Bills of great importance, some of a general character, and others of local interest to the people of Mariposa, have been introduded, some of which have passed to a second reading—such as the Bill for the reduction of fees in office—to to amend the Practice Act—and to of the Act concerning crimes and punishments—to divide the State into congressional Districts—to divide the Judicial District of which Mariposa is a part—to authorize the construction of a *toll* road over the "big hill" in your county &c. Many of these measures would be perfected at an early day, and become laws, were it not for the Senatorial election, which lies like an incubus upon the Legislature and effectually prevents any healthy action of that body.

Two weeks have been spent in the effort to elect a Senator, to the exclusion, almost, of all other business, and at the thirtieth and last ballot, parties stood about where they commenced. The friends of each of the candidates, pertinaciously adhering to their Idols. Gwin has the support of about two thirds of the democratic members, whilst the remainder are distributed between Broderick, McDougal and McCorkle. Burke, of your County, as a general thing, has voted for Gwin or Edwards, and once for J. H. Wade. Mc Neil goes it "strait" for Gwin. Flournoy voted once for Gwin, on all other occasions for McCorkle.

On Thursday last, with the purpose to give members an opportunity to hear from their constituents, and, to accomplish other business of greater importance to the State, a resolution was offered by Burke of Mariposa, to adjourn the election over to the fourth Monday of March next. A majority of the Joint Convention, however, thought it better to continue this miserable farce a week or so longer, at an expense to the State of about *Twenty three hundred Dollars* per day. In the end, I fear the people will have but little cause to be better pleased with this Legislature than with its predecessors. As regards one member of the delegation from your county, whatever may be his disposition to faithfully discharge the duties incumbent upon him, I percieve he already gives umistakeable signs of being *tired*.

Dr. Payne and E. C. Bell of your place, are here. The city is crowded with strangers from all parts of the State. B.

Waggish Forger—Bogus $20 pieces.—A gentleman just down from Yreka informs us that a counterfeit of the $20 pieces (now issued,) has made its appearance in that place. A merchant detected the counterfeit, and on examination found he had taken in five of the pieces. The counterfeit is exceedingly well made; is precisely of the same circumfrence of the genuine coin, but is not as thick; on testing its value it was found to be worth about $13.50. Independent of its deficiency in weight the coin may be easily detected by a little care; on close examination the word "sold" in small raised letters was observed on the bottom of the head. It is supposed to be the work of some operators in that region. Traders in the country will do well to look out for the new currency.—*Eve. Journal.*

Legislative.—Nothing of any importance has yet transpired at Sacramento. Thirty-two ballotings for U. S. Senator have been had, with little variation from former results.

Notices of bills etc, are the order of the day; but until the Senatorial matter is disposed of, nothing will be accomplished.

Mr. Ryland introduced a bill to amend the Revenue Law, the substance of which is to reduce the per centage allowed the Sheriff and his deputies for collecting taxes.

A bill has also been introduced to separate the offices of County Clerk and Recorder in this County.

It is supposed that a bill, dividing the State into Congressional Districts, will be passed and an election for Congresmen in place of Messrs. Herbert and Denver, be held next fall.

Our Sacramento correspondence has failed to come to hand for the past two weeks—it is probably quietly sleeping in some of the express or post offices.

Francs.—The citizens of Moquelumne Hill, and also of Columbia, have resolved not to receive franc pieces for more than 12½ cents.

The same step should be taken here. These pieces are a nuisance and should be driven from circulation.

County Seat of Tuolumne.—A number of citizens of Tuolumne County, particularly in the vicinity of Jamestown and Columbia, are agitating the removal of the county seat from Sonora to Jamestown. Petitions have been extensively circulated for and against the removal and have been numerously signed.

[Special Correspondence of the Mariposa Chronicle.]

San Francisco, Jan. 23. 1853.

The news by the *Cortes* was of an exciting and deeply important character—and has produced a strong impression here in favor of the Russians. Let me tell you what people, who are not Englishmen or aristocrats, say about the new treaty. Austria and Prussia have agreed to set limits to the power of the Russian Emperor. Germany is arming in defence of the four western despots, and the Turk against the one eastern. England and France by menacing Austria with the loss of her Italian and Hungarian provinces have driven her into a defensive treaty. Let us not be deceived, the sympathies of Austria are none the less despotic. Liberty gains nothing by these alliances; they are intended only to check the individual—the Emperor Nicholas, and to establish Imperialism on a more solid foundation. The Czar is to be restrained and not overthrown. We, the republicans of America, have no sympathy with French or British Imperialism, we have no hurrahs for the triumphs of Louis Napoleon or Lord Aberdeen, but if we are to choose a friend in conformity with our own commercial interests, the only reasonable basis, Nicholas is more our friend than the others. Our interests are commercially identical with his; San Francisco is the specie centre of Asia and the Pacific. The river Amoor is now open to our commerce—Not only the ice of Sitka, but the entire surplus of northern and eastern Asia is offered to us by the Russians. The intelligence and the gold of California are the means recognized by the Emperor for developing the resources of his eastern empire. Ex-Collector Sanders who has returned from his commercial embassy to St. Petersburg, was received there as a representative of Russian and Californian interest on the Pacific, without feeling or thought of politics. The Sitka Ice Company organized by him, at the desire of the Emperor, is only the first step of a vast and diversified commerce. That portion of China which is drained by the river Amoor, one of the finest tea countris in the world, is under Rusian dominion, offers an inexhaustable field of enterprise, and is almost exclusively our own.

I have stated somewhat formally the arguments current in this city and private circles, favoring the cause of Russia.

John Bull on the other hand, who wishes to pass himself off for a good old uncle, is considered to be a hostile and oppressive elder brother. We begin to understand him and his tricks. If Russia is beaten, French and British war steamers, seizing every opportunity for insult and oppression, will swarm along our coasts.

A great deal of astonishment has been expressed here, in the trading community, at the woeful insolvency and destitution of the San Francisco press. But the press is not only the instrument, it is also the barometer of commercial prosperity; when trade fails, newspapers fail. The *Sun* with a very fair business to all appearance, will be sold by the Sheriff on Saturday, having failed for $13,000 or thereabout. The *Alta Californian* with $30,000 or $40,000—of debts, went to day under the hammer for $13,500. The *Herald* a very stiff and saucy paper, which has displayed but little talent of late, is in the charge of the sheriff for debts estimated at $45,000—but the actual liabilities of that paper are said to be much larger. Its expenses are said to be between $11,000 and $12,000 a month; receipts, far below the mark. The *Transcript* does not pay, but the deficit is made up monthly by political contributions.—The Evening *News* has sent for the doctor. The *Chronicle* is afflicted with *marasmus* and starves its owners. I could mention other papers in the same condition, which need the affectionate attentions of that common friend, the Sheriff, whose circle of acquaintance increases daily in this city. The only one that I know of in this city, which stands upon a good business footing is the *Evening Journal*.

The great dearth of occupation in this city, gives people leisure, and inclination for amusement. Among other things Spiritualism as it is called, excites a great deal of attention. Articles on Spiritual phenomena are freely admitted into all the journals. Not only in San Francisco however, but in every part of the civilized world, writing, table-moving, rapping and all the other mesmeric wonders are occupying daily attention. Otto Dresel, the great German musician, lately showed some friends of the writer, in Mass. a "spirit table," which is in common use in Germany. The 'Spirit table" is a light three legged stool, about six inches high. It is set on a table, two persons laying their hands on it. A pencil fixed in one of the legs writes as it moves on a piece of paper placed underneath. Try it, it won't bite! Muggs.

Mexico.—According to information gathered at Acapulco, a body of troops 1000 in number, belonging to Santa Ana's army, surrendered on the plain near Ayutla, about thirty leagues from Acapulco, to General Don Rosendo Moreno—the chief of the brigade of that name—on the night of the 17th of January. The majority of them were incorporated into the army of Alvarez, being good fighters and well armed.

Eighty mule loads of ammunition and camp stores, 1500 stand of arms, besides the equipments which the deserters brought with them, and 6 field pieces were taken.

The total number of bodies—victims of the explosion of the Steamer Pearl—recovered up to Monday evening, amount to fifty-three.

The Engineer of the boat was arrested and admitted to bail in the sum of $10,000.

ARRIVAL OF THE GOLDEN AGE.

The Mail Steamer Golden Age, arrived at San Francisco, on Monday last, bringing two weeks later news from Europe, and eight days later from New York.

The news from Europe is of no special importance.

Notwithstanding the heavy siege armament of the allies, the wet ditches around the fortifications prove an insuperable barrier to an assault. To attempt to storm without a causeway, or without completely silencing the batteries opposite, would be to run upon certain death.

Some more fighting had taken place around Sebastopol, but nothing decisive. Since the battle of Inkermann both armies have remained inactive, repairing their works and otherwise busy in getting ready for further operations. Reinforcements continue to arrive to both the Russians and the Allies.

The most interesting feature of the news is the meeting of the British Parliament, the debate on the war in the House of Lords, and the facts in relation to the treaty of alliance with Austria. It appears that the treaty is a conditional one, and since the debate in parliament, consols have fallen to 92.

This nearly every one expected.—Austria has played false through the whole game. The Parliamentary debates have been very bitter, and Lord John Russel has been greatly blamed for the course he has taken in the matter. The speech of her Majesty on opening Parliament was very brief.

There is a dead lull through Europe. The failure, so far, of the expedition against Sebastopol, has created for the present a complete pause of anxious consideration. Nothing important can be expected for a month to come.

Prussia declines to give her adhesion to the tripartite treaty, qualifying her refusal by the dispatch of a special envoy to London, with a mission to open separate negotiations with the Western Powers on her own account.

A bill has passed the British House of Commons, for the enlistment of 40,000 mercenaries. The measure is strongly opposed by the people.

Atlantic Items.—Hard times press severely on all classes in the eastern States. Meetings are being held in New York for the purpose of aiding the mechanics who are out of work. Since '36 things have never looked so gloomy, and as yet there is no evidence of a brighter prospect.

John Mitchell has retired from the editorship of the Citizen. He is succeeded by Mr. McClenehan.

The Illinois Assemby has elected an anti-Nebraska speaker.

Commodore Moore has challenged ex-Senator Sam Houston, who has resigned his seat in Congress, and joined the Baptist church! So say our exchanges.

A committee of the Common Council of Albany have passed resolutions forbidding the visits of teachers of the Roman Catholic Church to the Almshouse of that city, until ample apology has been made for the destruction of the little books recently presented to the inmates of that institution.

N. B. Giddings, anti Douglas man, has been elected the Delegate to Congress from Nebraska, by 100 majority. Total vote, 1,000.

The bill to extend the time of the U. S. Land Commission in California has passed both houses of Congress, and will, without doubt, be approved by President Pierce.

The Congress of the Dominician Republic has rejected the Cazneau Treaty by a large vote.

It is stated as a certainty that Dr. Beale has received a pardon from the Governor of Pennsylvania, and that he will be set at liberty. Three of the Supreme Court Judges have written opinions as to the illegality of the verdict of the jury.

The Know Nothings continue to go ahead everywhere.

The death of ex Gov Morehead, of Kentucky, is announced. He died at Covington on the 28th ult.

The Sabbath.—The Georgetown News states, that petitions are in circulation, in that county, praying the Legislature to pass an act for the better observance of the Sabbath.

MARRIED.

At Sacramento, on the 22d inst., Mr. WILLIAM PHILLIPS, of this place, to Mrs. AMELIA HARRIS, of Sacramento.

New Advertisements.

HOOK & LADDER COMPANY.

ATTENTION!

A full attendance of the members of the Hook & Ladder Company is requested at the Southern Hotel, on Tuesday evening next, the 6th of February, for the transaction of important business.

By order,
L. A. HOLMES, President.
J. C. Hopper, Sect'y.

Phillip's Hotel

MARIPOSA.

THE UNDERSIGNED, having taken the
BOARDING DEPARTMENT
of the above Hotel, flatters himself, from his long residence in the County, and his intimate knowledge of the wants of the "inner man," that he is qualified to minister to the desires of the most fastidious.
ON HIS TABLE
will always be found the best to be procured in this market, cooked in the
AMERICAN FASHION!
under his personal supervision.
☞ A Share of public patronage is solicited.
Mariposa, Feb. 1, 1855.
f 2-tf GEORGE A. HAYES.

Citation.—State of California, } S. S.
County of Mariposa. }
The people of the State of California to J. W. Bell.

You are hereby summoned to be and appear before me, a Justice of the Peace in and for said County at my office in Agua Frio, at 10 o'clock, A. M. on Monday, the 26th day of February A. D. 1855, to answer the complaint of S. Sweet in an Action of Debt, wherein the said Plaintiff claims the sum of one hundred and seventy five dollars and eleven cents, for goods, wares and merchandise sold you by the Plaintiff; and for a failure to appear and answer at the time and place above stated, the Plaintiff will take Judgement against you for the above named sum of $175 11 and cost of suit. Given under my hand this 29th day of January A. D. 1855. JAMES M. BLACKWELL, J. P.

On affidavit made by the Plaintiff herein, it is ordered that service of this summons be made by a publication thereof once a week for three weeks in the Mariposa Chronicle, a newspapor published in the County of Mariposa.

Given this 29th day of January A. D. 1855.
f 2-3t JAMES M. BLACKWELL, J. P.

MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.

CHINAMEN ORDERED OUT OF SHASTA.—The miners of Shasta county at a public meeting held in Shasta City on the 18th inst., adopted the following resol tions:

Resolved, That we, the miners of Shasta county, forbid Chinamen from working in the mines of this county after the 25th of February, 1855.

Resolved, That we earnestly request the cooperation of the miners of Trinity, Siskiyou, and all other mining counties through out the State.

DITCHES IN CALIFORNIA.—The Governor in his message gives the length of canals and mining ditches in this State at 1,164 miles, and the capital invested at $2,294,000.

A NEW CANDIDATE.—The Boston Mail "hangs out its banner," with the name of Edwin Forrest as the Native American candidate for the next Presidency. One of the reasons it gives is that he is big enough and strong enough to bear their banner to the breeze.

WOMAN'S RIGHTS.—During the recent session of the Vermont Legislature, Miss Lucy Stone received eleven votes for the office of Brigadier General of Militia.

HAPPY LAND.—The Georgetown News says that El Dorado county is, at the present time, entirely out of debt; and not only so, but it has a surplus in the treasury to the amount of $19,050.25.

INSANE HOSPITALS.—There are in the United States thirty-two insane hospitals in active operation, and nine others in course of construction. Twenty-eight of these are state institutions, and the number of the insane is twenty thousand, embracing persons of all rank and occupations, and from the little child to the octogenarian.

DITCHING.—A company has been formed at Jamestown, Tuolumne county, to construct a ditch from Wood's Creek to Chinese Camp. The cost is estimated at about $10,000.

FIRE AT YREKA.—We learn from the Mountain Herald that another destructive fire has taken place in the flourishing town of Yreka. The loss is put down at 11,800.

TUNNELLING.—The Nevada Journal learns that a tunnel is being run into a hill near Jefferson, through solid bed rock and boulders, at an expense of $4000 to $5000. Dirt has been struck yielding thirty dollars to the pan.

GOVERNOR OF UTAH.—There seems to be one office in the gift of the President for which there are no outside applicants, and that is the Gubernatorial seat in the Territory of Utah. It is looked upon as a seat which would be found destitute of cushions.

New Advertisements.

Dentistry.

R. T. THORNER,

DENTIST,

HAVING returned to Mariposa and settled permanently, will be happy to wait on all those who may desire his services.

Mariposa, January 30, 1855. f2-tf

LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING IN THE POST OFFICE AT MARIPOSA, FEBRUARY 1st, 1855.

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Chas A Atkinson	Thos J or Henry C Allen
Anne Henry	
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Byrd Jas G	Brownlee Wm
Barnum Hendrick 2	Battaghagh Luigi
Bell Jas G	Barr David
Parthold Fred L	Boyd Jos C
Barnes Roscius R	Browne And
Butler Jas	
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Converse Mrs Melinda	Cogswell Homer
Conee Mrs Isabell	Cambra Mrs E J
Collins Jno	Campell Rich
Case Marcus L	Church Luke N
Cook Chas E	Coxsin Jas F
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Davis Jos M	Douglass Oliver P
Dodds Jas F	
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Eubank Robt A 2	Edwards A P
Evans Isaac	
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Fitzhugh Chas T	Fitzhugh Mrs Laura
Fitzhugh J W	Foran Michael
Fisher Wm P 2	
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Gipson G W	Glenn W T or Richd
Gibson G M	Gillwick J 3
Gustin Amos	Gilson Capt J S
Gellwin J	Gants Capt
Gentry A A	
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Henton Messrs	Hall Nathan
Holley Sidney B 2	Hatch Jas
Hazleton Nash S 3	Hodgkinson J
Halladen William	Hubble Dr
Harris Thos	Holmes Jas A
Holmes Edmond B	Harbow Thos 2
Helm Jas B	Howard Wm J
Hobily Mr	Hawley Marsden R
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Johnston Rich	Jorgenson A O
Johnson Saml	Jones Jacob T
Jelly Henry	Johnston W P
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Kenton Thos	Kay Lawrence 2
Killinger Jacob	Kester John
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Lange Chas	Limpack Mich
Land Peter P	Linohon Bright
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McLean Hengh A	Mead Sydney
McQueen A	Morrell Nat S
Mock Benj	Marsh Geo P
McCoy Geo P	Moyle Jas
Matthewson Asa	Morgan Archd
Matthews W	Martineau Francis V 11
McIntosh Chas	McNicol Jno
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Newton Geo W	Nagle Peter B
Nelson Cor	Norton Neal M
Newman Chris 2	
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Owens Jas	Osborn W B 2
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Peacock Geo H	Beel Wm G 3
Patterson Joel B 2	Peck Chas
Potter Jas W	Price Thos L
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Raymond A L	Ross Jas M
Riggs Irvin	Richardson A
Rogers Gordon W	
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Stone Samuel S 3	Smith Jno H
Shannon J W	Steiner A
Slover Mr	Scott Jas W
Smith Jas C	Slinkard I W 2
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Taylor W B	Thompson Jas H
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Mallet Francois	Garcia Senor
Gorgerore Viscount August	Baijecco Signor

☞ Persons calling for the above letters, will please say "Advertised."

JOHN F. McNAMARA, P. M.

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Importer and Dealer in Drugs and Medecines, French, American and English Chemicals, Trusses, Surgical Instruments, OILS, PAINTS, Brushes of all kinds, Perfumery, Toilet and Shaving Soap, Fancy articles, etc., etc.

In short, everything comprising the stock of a druggist.

☞ *Physicians prescriptions carefully prepared, at the lowest San Francisco prices.*

Free consultation, and medicine furnished gratis to the poor, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, from 1 to 2 P. M.

BANKING HOUSE.

Gold Dust bought and Money Exchanged.
Gold Dust and Money received on Deposite.
Sight drafts on V. MARZIOU & Co., San Francisco and France.
All kinds of goods taken on Storage and sold on Commission.
Mariposa, January 2d 1855. j 12-tf

DR. WHELPLEY'S MEDICAL CARDS.

STRANGERS

VISITING SAN FRANCISCO WILL REMEMBER THAT

DR. WHELPLEY'S

MEDICAL OFFICE

IS AT THE

Corner of Sansome and Commercial sts,

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Opposite the St. Nicholas, Niantic, and Crescent City Hotels,

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IN ALL CASES OF VENEREAL DISEASE, ACUTE AND CHRONIC,

SUCH AS SYPHILIS, SECONDARY AND CONSTITUTIONAL AFFECTIONS, GONORRHOEA, SEMINAL WEAKNESS, GLEET AND STRICTURE.

ALSO,

ALL DISEASES PECULIAR TO THE FEMALE SEX.

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ALSO,

PANAMA AND MARSH FEVERS, FEVER AND AGUE, REMITTENT AND BILLIOUS FEVER, AND EVERY SPECIES OF MALARIA DISEASE AND ITS CONSEQUENCES.

☞ NO CHARGE FOR CONSULTATION.

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J. D. WHELPLEY, M. D.,

SAN FRANCISCO.

IMPORTANT TO MINERS, TRAVELERS, & MEN OF BUSINESS.

STRANGERS visiting San Francisco from the interior frequently wish to consult a physician. Not knowing whom to trust, they sometimes fall into the hands of mere pretenders, as void of conscience as of knowledge. That they may escape these dangers, DR. WHELPLEY takes this occasion to inform them that his office is now at the CORNER OF SANSOME AND COMMERCIAL STS., OPPOSITE THE ST. NICHOLAS, NIANTIC AND CRESCENT CITY HOTELS.

(*Upstairs—entrance on Sansome street.*)

where he can be consulted at all hours of the day and evening.

☞ It is needless to say that Dr. Whelpley is a regular member of the Faculty of Medicine, qualified by long study and experience for the practice of the healing art. He is able to assure those who are afflicted with the FEVERS and RHEUMATIC AFFECTIONS peculiar to California, or with those secret maladies which, from slight and neglected beginnings, destroy so many vigorous constitutions—that modern science has discovered sure, safe and speedy methods of cure. It is no longer thought necessary to saturate the body with mineral poisons, condemning it to weakness and premature decay: the horrible system of "starving, poisoning and confinement," pursued by antique ignorance, is entirely superceded, and those Miasmatic, pestilential venerial and contagious diseases which it was supposed might, in time, destroy the human race, can now be cured by simple and *natural* remedies, in a few days.

1. *Syphilis.*—Recognized at first by minute sores or slight excoriations, which gradually enlarge into Ulcers, from which the veins continually absorb an active, diffusive poison.

2. *Gonorrhœa.*—An unhealthy and contagious efflux, generated at first, by uncleanliness, and thence communicated by contact, producing, if unchecked, a destructive and horribly painful inflamation of the urinary organs, internal and external.

3. *Seminal Weakness.*—A disease which usually commences in early life, and, by insensible degrees destroys the mind and body of the sufferer.

4. *Malarious Infection.*—In the forms of "Chills and Fever,"—Marsh fever, Panama fever, Ague, Intermittent, &c. &c., generated by the earth and air of a new country, and producing, in the sequel, a host of constitutional disorders.

5. *Rheumatic Affections.*—Face Ache, Tic Doloreux, Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Swelled Joints, Stiffness of the Joints, Arthritic inflamations, &c., the result of hard work, exposure or free living.

6. *Delirium Tremens.*—The result of excessive drinking with mental excitement.

These and such other diseases as arise from external, non-natural causes, and are not inherited or constitutional, may be readily and speedily cured, if taken in good time, and treated by the NATURAL METHOD.

Persons laboring under Secret Maladies or weakness, constitute at last one-fourth the population of civilized countries. Scientific and medical research has consequently been largely devoted to their cure, and the most illustrious of living names in medicine, are of those European practitioners who have discovered sure and safe methods. The saving of human life and health which has resulted from the researches of John Hunter and his successors, and the medical discoveries of Ricord and a few others, in our own times, has produced a sensible increase in population, and has extended the average term of human existence.

Dr. W. wishes to have it understood that he relies for his success upon a competent knowledge of the more recent and valuable discoveries of science. In a country so unsettled and with a population so fluctuating as that of California, it is not necessary for him to apologise for having taken this public method of making known his principles. The proof of their correctness is in their constant success.

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J. D. WHELPLEY, M. D.

N. B.—Letters requesting advice, *enclosing five dollars*, will be promptly attended to. Address

DR. J. D. WHELPLEY, San Francisco.

☞ FIRST PREMIUM DAGUERREOTYPES.—R. H. VANCE, just awarded the first premium for the best Daguerreotypes exhibited at the California State Fair. Mr. V. would be happy to wait upon any one wishing a perfect Likeness.—The arrangements of his rooms and lights are superior to any in the State.

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Auction Sale.

AGUA FRIO.

THE remainder of the STOCK OF Goods of O. Johnson will be offered for sale by him at Public Auction on

Sunday, the 4th day of February, 1855.

The stock consists of CLOTHING, GROCERIES, MINING TOOLS, HARD WARE, &c. &c.

Persons wishing to buy, are invited to call previous to day of Sale, and examine for themselves.

j 19-td O. JOHNSON.

To the Public.

THE SUBSCRIBER has opened a day School in the town of Mariposa for the Instruction of the young. He hopes from his long experience and by assiduous attention to his pupils to secure the patronage of parents and citizens generally. The following branches will be taught, viz., Orthography, Reading, Writing, Arithmetic, English Grammar, Geography and Bookkeeping. Guardians and parents will please send as soon and as constant during the term as possible, so as to give pupils a good opportunity to improve.

Terms—Five Dollars per scholar per month.

Mariposa, Dec. 29th, 1854. E. J. SAGENDORF.

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San Francisco Advertisements.

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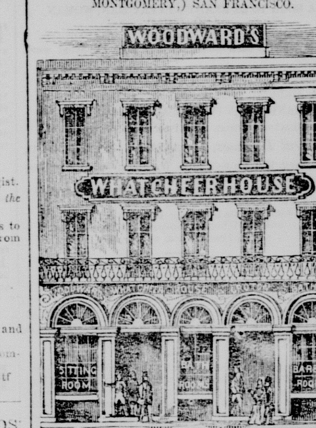

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SAWYER, JOHNSON & CO., Dealers in Paints, Oil and Glass, haveremoved to Nos. 103 and 105 Front street, San Francisco. 9-3m ju t

Notice to Stockholders.

San Francisco, Nov. 21st 1854.

THE STOCKHOLDERS of the Empire State Quartz Mining Company are hereby notified that an assessment of THREE DOLLARS per share has been this day levied upon all the Stock of the above Company, by the Board of Trustees, payable in thirty days after this date at the office of the undersigned.

All Stock upon which the said assessment shall remain unpaid at that date, will be sold at Auction according to law.

ALFRED WHEELER, Secretary and Treasurer.
98 Merchant St. San Francisco.

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ST. CHARLES HOTEL,

Corner of Davis and Washington streets, San Francisco, Cal.

J. HARPER & J. S. MERRITT, Proprietors. The undersigned take pleasure in announcing to the traveling public, that they have completed the above spacious and commodious HOTEL, and are now prepared to receive their guests. The great improvements and convenience for Travelers in the House, warrants them in hoping they will receive a liberal patronage. They have rooms capable of accommodating over THREE HUNDRED LODGERS. Their Table will be always supplied with the best the market affords, and the prices for board will be as reasonable as times will admit.

Its close proximity to the STEAMBOAT LANDINGS, renders this House very desirable for transient visitors and people arriving in the State, and those leaving for the older States.

☞ There will be a Night Watchman, and Guests can procure Rooms at all hours of the night.

ju 9-3m HARPER & MERRITT, Proprietor.

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IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN

Drugs and Medicines,

Chemicals, Perfumery, Fancy Articles, etc., San Francisco, Cal.

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SALVATOR ROSA,

IMPORTER, and dealer in all description of MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS, Sheet Music, etc, No. 180 Clay street, between Kearney and Montgomery, San Francisco. j19

A. C. MESSERVE & CO.

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The attention of dealers in particular is called, as well as all who are furnishing hotels, dwellings or offices, as every article we advertise we positively have on hand, making a selection, we flatter our ourselves, that will meet the wants of all.

N. B.—30 complete unbroken invoices. Call and see us before purchasing elsewhere. j19

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Orders from a distance promptly attended to.

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Tacks, assorted sizes, Plumb Levels;
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Circular, mill, cross-cut, pit and hand saws;
Chisels, drawing knives, adzes;
Stocks and dies, auger bits, trowels;
Cutlery, locks, bolts, screws, butts;
Hatchets, hammers, Mexican spurs;
Files, a full assortment;
Lead pipe, zinc, block tin, grindstones;
Sheet iron, cut and wrought nails,
Colt's revolvers, powder flasks, percussion caps;
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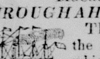

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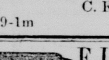

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so favorably and extensively known as being the First PREMIUM GALLERY on the Pacific, as well as for the SUPERIORITY OF LIKENESSES AND PICTURES, both as to fidelity and tone of artistic finish, has induced the subscriber to give the public a

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NO CHARGE FOR PICTURES,

if they do no give the most unlimited satisfaction. The public are respectfully invited to call and examine specimens of Pictures in my Gallery. A liberal share of public patronage is solicited.

Perfect sasfaction will be guaranteed.

feb10-tf GEO. H. JOHNSON.

United States.

P. A. BRINSMADE,

HAS removed his office to Sherman's building, No. 146 Montgomery street, San Francisco, where he will continue the prosecution of Claims against the Federal Government, embracing

Claims of the officers and soldiers of Colonel Stevenson's Regiment of New York Volunteers for bounty lands, extra pay and transportation allowances.

Claims of the officers and men who composed the California Battalion of Volunteers, under Lieutenant Colonel John C. Fremont, for bounty lands, arrears of pay, and extra pay.

Claims of the officers, petty officers, seamen and marines, on account of additional compensation for services in the Naval and Revenue service of the United States in the Pacific Ocean, on the coasts of California and Mexico, from 13th of May, 1846, to 1st of March, 1853, provided for by Acts of Congress, approved August 31st, 1852, and March 3d, 1853.

—ALSO—

Claims for indemnity on account of losses occasioned by Indian depredations upon the property of the citizens of the State.

And Claims for advances made to United States Indian Agents, to enable them to negotiate or to execute treaties with the Indian tribes.

MR. BRINSMADE has secured the most reliable and efficient aid in Washington, and claimants may feel sure of the most prompt attention possible.

N. B. He will also give his best attention to Conveyancing in all its branches. feb3-tf

Silks, New Styles.

Taaffe, McCahill & Co.,

SAN FRANCISCO,

HAVE JUST RECEIVED PER STEAMER SIERRA NEVADA, A select Invoice of FASHIONABLE SILKS: SUCH AS

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AND

PROVISION DEPOT,

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THE public are informed that this establishment has accommodations and conveniences for guests unsurpassed by any house in the county. The best the market affords will always be furnished for the table in abundance.

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At the store can at all times be found a complete assortment of

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Together with all description of

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Gold Dust and Coin received on general or special deposite.

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San Francisco, Nov. 2 1854. n24 3m

MARIPOSA CHRONICLE.

FUN.

BY WALTER.

"O, isn't it fun!" once I heard a boy say,
"To catch a strange dog, on a very warm day,
And tie a tin pail
To the end of his tail
And then, when he doesn't know what you're about
To raise a hallo, and a laugh and a shout—
To see how he'll scamper, and gallop and run,
O, isn't it fun."

Some friend, whom we loved in a happier day,
Is led into error, and wanders astray;
His wan visage pales;
His once proud eye quails;
Discarded by those he befriended of yore—
Neglected, betrayed, scouted, stung to the core;
He meets with unkindness wherever he turns—
Nothing but scorn.

Now what shall WE do? shall we hold out our hand?
Shall we help him to rise—assist him to stand?
'Twere well, but alas,
We will join with the mass;
We bandy the jests and the jeers of the throng,
And as he sinks downwards, we push him along;
No tear for his sorrow, no sigh for his care—
Down, down to despair.

We are all like the boys who pelted the frogs;
We tie pails and kettles to ends of stray dogs;
THEIR terror and fright
Compose OUR delight:
For what is a man if his fortune should fail,
But a dog with a tin-kettle tied to his tail;
And who that beholds him break cover and run,
But thinks it is fun?

RULES FOR WEARING RINGS.—For the benefit of the "craft," as the bachelors say, we copy the following rule for wearing rings, for the especial benefit of those ladies who are desirous of *ring*ing into the affections of young gallants:—

When a lady is *not* engaged, she wears a ring on her first finger—if engaged, on her second—if married, on her third—and if she intends to remain unmarried, she wears the ring on her fourth finger.—This is the rule laid down in the last work on female proprieties that we have seen, and it appears to be generally recognized among the sex as one that should be scrupulously observed. There are some young ladies, however, who appear to take delight in wearing a ring both upon the first and second finger, thus leaving the admiring spectator in some perplexity how to classify them. Others wear a ring upon each finger; and, again, three or four little golden hoops, sparkling with brilliants, may be seen edging each other on the second—emblematical, probably, of the number of engagements or triumphs they have achieved during the period of their blooming girlhood.

Most beautiful accomplished and charming Madam! Will your ladyship, by an undeserved and unmerited condescension of your most infinite goodness, please to extend to your obsequious, devoted, and very humble servant, that pair of ignipotent digesters, in order that I may exasperate the excrescence of the nocturnal, cylindrical luminary, so that the refulgent brightness of its resplendant brilliancy may dazzle the vision of our ocular optics more potently.

The young lady passed the snuffers, and then *melted away.*

Boswell once complained to Johnson that the noise of the company the day before had made his head ache. "No, sir, it was not the noise that made your headache; it was the sense we pu into it."

"Has sense that effect on the head?" enquired Boswell.

"Yes sir, on heads not used to it."

A GAME AT SEE-SAW.—"Brudder Pete, did you see him see de log before you saw him saw it?"

"De unintellectual stupendity of some niggers is perfectly encrebuluos; why, ef I seed him saw it afore I saw him see it, it is a cosequential ensurance dat he saw he sawed it afore he seed it; but he couldn't help seein he sawed it, for ef he saw de sawen before he saw de seein do de sawen, consequinchilly he must saw it afore he seed it, which is absurdly ridiculas— darefore I did see him saw it.

HIS SPEECH.—"Och, Jamie, did ye ever hear uv my great speech afore the Hibernian Society?" "No Pat, how should I, for sure I was not on the ground." "Well, Jamie, you see I was called upon by the Hibernian Society for a speech; and be jabers, I rose with the enthusiastick cheers of thousands, with my heart overflowing with gratitude, and my eyes filled with tears, and *divil a word did I spake!*"

A NEW PLANK.—A Soft, of our acquaintance, admits that he would willingly adopt the Free Soil Platform, if, to the Free Soil Free Speech and Free men they would add another plank, namely, that, of Free Drinks!

Closing Up!

A. BLUMENTHAL,

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OPPOSITE THE SOUTHERN HOTEL, MARIPOSA.

Thankful for the liberal patronage, bestowed upon him during his residence in Mariposa, would now inform the citizens generally, that he is winding up his business,

AND SELLING OUT HIS LARGE STOCK OF GOODS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES,

being determined to leave for the Atlantic States in a short time, and he would request all, who are in debt to him, to come up and settle, and thereby save themselv any farther cost and trouble.

☞ The House and Lot occupied by me for Sale.

A. BLUMENTHAL.

Mariposa, Jan. 5, 1855. jan. 12 tf.

Dr. D. Burbank,

PRACTICAL DENTIST,

WOULD call the attention of his friends, and the inhabitants of San Francisco and vicinity to his office, where they can have all Dentist Operations, whether SURGICAL OR MECHANICAL, done in a style that cannot be excelled or even equalled by any Operator in this City or Country.

DR. B. would say to those wishing Artificial Teeth, that he is now prepared to manufacture and insert

BLOCK GUM TEETH,

which for natural appearance, beauty, and durability, ar superior to any thing before used in this place.

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Chloroform and Ether from the best manufactory in the States, and used with great care.

Dr. B. would further state that with his mechanical skill and practical knowledge of Dentistry, he feels confident he can satisfy the most fastidious. Call and see for yourselves.

All operations warranted, and at reduced prices. Examinations and advice free.

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THE Proprietor of this popular Hotel takes pleasure in announcing to his former patrons and the public generally, that having completed the entire re-modeling of his establishment—one of the most complete and extensive Hotels in California—he is now prepared for the reception of the public. No expense has been spared in re-fiting and furnishing every department with all the modern improvements that would add comfort and luxury in making it truly a model Hotel.

The proprietor would take pleasure in greeting his old friends and patrons at his new establishment, assuring them that every attention they may have received at his hands heretofore, will be renewed on the occasion.

TERMS—Of Board, Lodging, &c., on the same liberal scale as before. j27-tf

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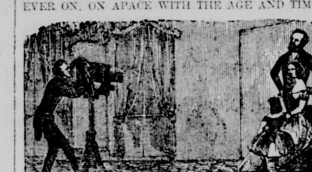

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Daguerreotypes, FOR $2.

Shew's Daguerreotype Rooms,

HAVE BEEN REMOVED TO THE FIRE PROOF BUILDING NO. 166 CLAY STREET.

A few doors above Montgomery Street, north side, opposite Dr. Rabes' Building.

MR. SHEW HAS THE SATISFACTION OF ANNOUNCING that he has fitted up a splendid suit of rooms for taking Photographic Pictures, either upon glass, paper or metal plates. Persons who feel interested in the Photographic Art, are invited to call and examine a collection of Daguerreotypes taken upon paper and glass embracing som of the most interesting scenery in history, and possess a brilliancy of tone and distinctness of outline which surpass any heretofore produced on the Pacific coast.

Mr. S. also announces that he has reduced his price to less than one half of his former rates, and is now prepared to take as good pictures for $2 as can be obtained at any other establishment for double that price. Persons who have had poor pictures taken elsewhere, can have them taken over for a trifling expense.

Please remember the number, 166 Clay street, North side, a few doors above Montgomery street, and give us a call before purchasing elsewhere.

All California papers please copy one month, and send one copy containing this advertisement.

San Francisco, Nov. 14th, 1854. d8-1m

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General Commission Merchants,

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ALWAYS on hand a full assortment of HARDWARE, GLASS-WARE, PROVISIONS, BOOTS AND SHOES, and GENERAL MERCHANDISE, selected expressly for the California market, on the most reasonable terms. feb3-tf

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AND

Savings Bank,

CORNER MONTGOMERY AND SACRAMENTO STREETS, SAN FRANCISCO.

ALL moneys deposited in this Bank, in sums not exceeding One Thousand Dollars, are payable on demand, and deposits of over One Thousand Dollars, at one day's sight. Said deposits made on and after the first of September, 1854, will draw interest at the rate of one and a half per cent. per month.

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On the 1st of September of each year, depositors will be notified of any change of the rate of interest for the ensuing year.

Gold Dust left at this Office to be assayed, or for coinage at the United States Branch Mint, will receive immediate attention; and the results from assays will be returned every forty-eight hours; and the charge in all cases will only be one and a half per cent., including all charges for Assay and Coinage, or one-half per cent. for assay alone, when the amount is fifty ounces and upwards; all amounts under fifty ounces, the price will be Five Dollars.

Miners and Merchants, leaving gold dust at this Banking House to be assayed, can have an immediate advance on their gold without any charge for advancing.

Bills of Exchange on the Eastern States at ninety days from date, or at sixty days from sight, will be drawn at par. Sight drafts will be drawn at three per cent. or at the usual rates at the time of drawing.

Mint Certificates purchased at a reasonable discount. Gold dust and gold bars purchased at the highest market price.

Rich Quartz Specimens valued free of charge, and the highest price paid for them when offered for sale.

The usual Banking facilities extended to merchants and traders, and the Bank will be kept open for the accommodation of Depositors until 5½ o'clock, P. M., and until 10 P. M. on Saturdays.

N. B. Miners can remit their moneys or Gold Dust, in sealed packages, through Wells, Fargo & Co.'s and Adams & Co.'s Expresses, labelled and directed to me, with such instructions as they may deem proper, with the full assurance that every attention will be paid to their instructions relative to the same.

ap7 A. S. WRIGHT, Banker.

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WOOD TURNING AND SCROLL SAWING,

At the Sawing and Planing Mill,

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Reduction of Passage!

FROM SAN FRANCISCO TO STOCKTON.

ON and after this date, the Passage by the Company's Steamers CORNELIA and URILDA, to and from San Francisco and Stockton, will be Reduced to—

CABIN PASSAGE..........$6,00
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Office of the California S. N. Co.,
Stockton, Jan 1st, 1855.

j1 1m JAMES S. JOHNSTON, Agent.

Mariposa Advertisements.

Look Here!

STEREOSCOPES AND DAGUERREOTYPES.

THE great SHADOW CATCHER of Mariposa having moved his saloon next door to the Sheriff's office, (will be found in it daily) and still being desirous of serving the "dear people" of Mariposa and vicinity, earnestly solicits them to give him a call. His light is superior to the one formerly used, particularly to those having weak eyes, which is so common in this country, and also for children, which will be presented in the after part of the day. Ladies are recommended to wear dark drapery, always avoiding light blue or white. Having rigged a view instrument, he is ready to go any distance from town, to take mining claims, or landscape scenery, upon very reasonable terms. In his absence the saloon will be carried on by a competent brother.

The Undersigned being desirous of selling a Daguerrean Saloon at Mokelumne Hill which is on wheels, and which is movable any where, will take less than one half its original cost, and the umbra who buys it, if he is not an operator will be made one gratis Call and see before buying elswhere, you shall have a show certain.

d8 j1 D. A PLECKER.

ALL persons are warned not to CUT WOOD or otherwise intrude on the Ranch known as

TRAVELER'S REST,

situated on the Stockton Road, between Wild Goose Ranch and Cunningham's, as the penalty of the law will be enforced against trespassers.

The lines of the last survey will be shown by the undersigned, at any time to persons interested in knowing.

Agua Frio, Sept. 22, 1854.

sep29-3t* O. JOHNSON.

For Rent.
THE HOTEL

SITUATED ON THE LONG MOUNTAIN, ON THE STAGE Road leading from this place to Stockton, between the Cow and Calf and Corbitt's Ranches, will be rented on reasonable terms, and put in good condition for occupation, if rented. For further particulars, apply at the Pioneer Steam Saw Mill, on Sherlocks.

Mariposa, July 21st, 1854. D. WHITE & CO.

jy 21-3t By G. GREEN, Agent.

A. W. Jee's
STORE,

Mormon Bar, at the Junction of Mariposa and Stockton Creeks.

THE Subscriber has on hand a complete assortment of

PROVISIONS, GROCERIES, LIQUORS, AND MINING TOOLS.

Also various descriptions of useful articles, which he offers for sale at the market price.

ARTHUR W. JEE.

o20-3m Mormon Bar, Mariposa Creek.

FOR SALE

THE UNDERSIGNED being desirous of returning to the ATLANTIC STATES, offers for sale the

Vauable Property,

now occupied by him, situated near the junction of the MARIPOSA and AGUA FRIO roads, and consisting of 160 acres of well timbered land, with a two story FRAME HOUSE, 28 ft by 30 ft and dining room attached, a never failing well of water and all necessary out buildings on the premises.

The house is well furnished for the accommodation of travellers and has a GOOD RUN OF CUSTOM. The line of the proposed cenal from the MERCED, runs near the door. Upwards of 50 cords of wood are cut and convenient for use.

Enquire on the premises of DAVID CUNNINGHAM

Upper Agua Frio, Nov. 28, 1854. d1-tf

ALFRED F. WASHBURN,

Justice of the Peace for Township No. 3,

Office in Mariposa.

RICHARD H. DALY,

ATTORNEY AND NOTARY PUBLIC,

Mariposa. j19-tf

SAM'L. A. MERRITT,

Attorney at Law, and Notary Public under the Law of 1853.

Office, on Main, between Fourth and Fifth streets, Mariposa. j19-1y

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E. BURKE,

ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR AT LAW,

Office on Main street, Mariposa.

O. M. DICKINSON,

COUNTY SURVEYOR:

Office, on Main street, Mariposa.

NOTICE.—I wish it distinctly understood that no business will receive any attention at the Clerk and Recorder's Office, unless accompanied with the fees.

EDWARD C. BELL,

o6-3m Clerk, Auditor, and Recorder.

New
TIN SHOP.

(Next door to Phillip's Hotel, Mariposa.)

THE undersigned calls the attention of the people of Mariposa and vicinity, to his stock of

PARLOR AND COOKING STOVES, TIN-WARE, HARD-WARE, &c.,

which he is prepared to sell at San Francisco prices.

All kinds of

JOB WORK,

done to order, at short notice, and in the best manner.

☞ Call and examine for yourselves.

Mariposa, Sept. 12, 1854.

sep15-3m S. WORMSER.

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A. D. BOYCE, *Agent.*

HAS constantly on hand a full and fresh supply of

Foreign and Domestic Drugs;
French, English and American Chemicals;
Perfumery and Family Medicines;
Shakers' Herbs and Extracts;
Thompsonian Medicines;

and in fact all things usually to be found in a well stocked establishment.

Physicians can rely upon having their prescriptions carefully prepared at this place. ju9-tj

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The Merced
HOTEL

IS now ready for the reception of visitors, and we respectfully request the public generally to give us a call and examine for themselves.

OUR TABLE

will be supplied with the best the market affords—vegetables of all kinds in abundance, and fresh at the door, from our Garden.

OUR BAR

is supplied with the very best Liquors and Cigars to be found in the San Francisco market.

OUR BEDS

will be found clean and comfortable.

The Merced Hotel is one of the most pleasant locations between Maripos and Stockton. Passengers by the Stage will be accommodated with an express wagon to convey them to the depot, and every effort will be made to render the sojourn of travelers and others both pleasant and agreeable.

my26-6m O. SCHRŒDER & CO.

BEAR VALLEY DEPOT.

SIMPSON & HAMMATT,

WOULD announce to their friends and the mining community of this county, that they are permanently located in the town of Simpsonville, and now prepared to furnish their customers with MEAT, PROVISIONS, GROCERIES, LIQUORS, QUEENSWARE, &c.,

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Their stock is entirely new and embraces superior

Hams, Beef, Pork, Bacon;
Lard, Flour, Tea, Coffee;
Sugar, Potatoes, Barley, Rice;
Molasses, Syrups, Dried Fruit;
Preserves, Pickles, Brandy, Gin;
Whisky, Rum, Port Wine;
Claret Wine, Sherry Wine;
Hock Wine, Medaria Wine;
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Together with every description of Miners' Tools, &c.

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Large Frame House,

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A BOOK TO BE READ BY EVERY MAN, WOMAN AND CHILD.

This day has been published the long expected work entitled

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OR, MEDICAL COMPANION, Being Observations on MANHOOD IN ITS PREMATURE DECLINE,

EMBRACING CRITICAL AND PRACTICAL TREATISES ON

Venereal Diseases, Impotency and Sterility,

Explaining the Causes and Treatment of Gonorrhea, Gleet, Stricture, and all Diseases of the Generative and Urinary Organs, both in the Male and Female; thereby rendering it an invaluable *Vade Mecum* for every one, to be consulted without exposure, and with assured confidence of success.

"THE PROPER STUDY OF MANKIND IS MAN."

BY J. C. YOUNG, M. D.,

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The above work is emphatically the book for the age. It is one of the most complete works of the kind that has ever been published, presenting as it does the minute analysis of every form of veneral disease incident to both sexes, and above all, entering into and describing particularly the awful work of that terrible disease so common among young men, known as masturbation. The knowledge to be derived by every one in having a copy of this work in their possession is beyond conception; as any person who has the slightest reason to believe that they are afflicted with a disease, of which they have been ignorant, can by referring to its pages, in a few minutes fully understand the nature of that disease, and be made aware of the effects attending it; and thus they may in season apply the proper remedies and avert its heretofore unseen progress, which was fast undermining their constitution, and would have resulted either in death, or what is as awful to contemplate, destroying forever the health and happiness of the unfortunate victim.

In the preparation of this work, the author has not only given a practical exposition of his own labors, but has freely consulted and compiled from the works of the most popular writers of the day, thus presenting a careful and well digested compendium of the most important facts and principles furnished by the ablest writers that have ever lived. This is sufficient, it is hoped, as a test of its accuracy and of its untold practical value and utility.

On the receipt of one dollar, this invaluable work will be sent to any part of the State.

All those who may desire one copy or more of this work will please direct their orders to DR. J. C YOUNG, corner Montgomery and California streets, over Wells, Fargo & Co's Express Office, San Francisco, accompanied with the money. All orders will be faithfully and promptly attended to.

Booksellers and Periodical Dealers supplied on liberal terms. Orders to be directed as in the above.

N. B.—All papers in the State that contain Dr. J. C. YOUNG'S advertisements, will please insert the above three months.

Dr. Hungerford's
Private Medical Office,

CORNER OF WASHINGTON STREET AND WASHINGTON PLACE, OPPOSITE THE HALL OF RECORDS AND THE LAFAYETTE RESTAURANT, SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.

THE DOCTOR having taken ALL the rooms, has so arranged them that he can be consulted in privacy by his patients, either male or female, without their being seen by any person except himself.

In the treatment of Diseases entrusted to his care, no deleterious drugs or medicines are administered.

Rooms and Board for persons who may wish to remain private a few days under his treatment.

TO THE LADIES.—The Doctor has a Private Hospital under the charge of an excellent Matron, EXPRESSLY for the reception of Females.

N. B.—All Letters for advice, enclosing Ten Dollars, (and no other,) will be promptly attended to.

☞ Remember, Dr. HUNGERFORD, Corner of Washington street and Washington place, San Francisco.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 9. P. M.

Testimonials from the Press.

(From the "Echo du Pacifique.")

DR. HUNGERFORD.

We wish to call the attention of our readers to the advertisement of this gentleman, whose extensive practice and great success is sufficient to induce all those afflicted to give him a call. The Doctor is not only a regularly educated Physician, but he has the principles of honesty and a heart that can feel for his fellow-beings. He has undoubtedly more practice than any other Physician in San Francisco, and it is fast increasing. To those acquainted with the Doctor, we say nothing as to his skill and integrity, as they are well known; but to strangers WE DO SAY, call at the corner of Washington street and Washington place, and you will find that a friend in need is a friend indeed.

(From the "Southern Medical Journal.")

PROFESSOR HUNGERFORD.

Although opposed to the system of advertising, yet we deem it but just to this gentleman to admit that his system of treatment in Private Diseases is undoubtedly the most approved one now in use throughout the civilized world.

FROM DR. HUNGERFORD'S

PRIVATE MEDICAL ROOMS.

Corner of Washington Street and Washington Place, opposite the Hall of Records and the Lafayette Restaurant San Francisco.

Where all diseases of a private character receive the treatment necessary to effect a speedy and effectual cure of those annoying and distressful complaints. The enviable reputation Dr. Hungerford has earned for himself by his extraordinary success in all diseases of a private nature, renders it but necessary to state his address; he therefore avoids the long advertisements of bombastic promises of the empirics of the day, so lavishly held out but seldom fulfilled. Medicines are sent to all parts of the country, with directions for their use.

NOCTURNAL EMISSIONS, Ulcers in the Throat, Syphilis, Gonorrhoea, Strictures, Gleet, and those dreadful symptoms of the head, throat, nose and skin, under the Hungerford treatment, are healed in an incredibly short time, without mercury. Young men who have become victims of solitary vice, that dreadful and destructive habit, which ruins both body and mind, call immediately on Dr. Hungerford, and you can depend on being restored to health, that greatest of God's blessings.

STONE, GRAVEL, &c.—The efficacy of Dr. Hungerford's Lithron Triptic has proved beyond a doubt to be the most certain cure in the above named most painful cases that the human frame is subject to. au25 3m

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We would also invite the attention of purchasers for the OREGON and SANDWICH ISLAND MARKETS, to our Stock, believing that we can supply them with articles, in our line, suited to their trade, on terms quite as reasonable as any House on the Pacific Coast.

HOTEL KEEPERS AND STEAMBOAT OWNERS

Will find every article suited to their wants in our Stock and at reduced prices

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BARRETT & SHERWOOD

BEG leave to announce the arrival of a celebrated LAPIDARY ARTIST,

engaged especially in the East for them. The machinery for this exquisite branch of their business is of the most improved and perfect description, being ordered for their establishment here, without any regard to cost.

They are now able to cut and test all kinds of precious stones and gems; no longer therefore, need the curious treasures of our soil and mines remain unregarded and undeveloped. Quartz rock mixed with gold, when cut and polished, makes the most beautiful and unique style of jewelry. Rings, Pins, Studs, Seals, Cane Heads, Coat Buttons, and a hundred different things, can now be manufactured from it, that for beauty of design and elegance of finish would be highly appreciated in the Eastern States, rendering them, above all other souvenirs, the most superior for home presents. Call and see them at

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N. B.—Quartz mixed with gold, suitable for cutting, purchased at from one to five hundred per cent., above the net gold value. feb10

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At No. 81 Clay street, above Front,

SAN FRANCISCO.

400 FIRKINS new June Orange Co. BUTTER,
200 do do do Goshen do
150 do do do Delaware do
100 do do do Chakauque do
100 casks choice do do, in 22lb kitts;
2,000 lbs Butter in 10, 20 and 30 lbs kegs;
15,000 lbs Cheese in tins, best ever imported to this market;
150 cases refined Lard in Small tins;
100 tierces and bbls Leaf Lard.

Also, Ex-clipper ship "Eagle"—

65 firkins choice selected Butter for family use.

The above lot of BUTTER has been selected by myself in New York, and shipped by me expressly for my own trade, and will, I think, be found on examination superior to any offered in this market, and will be sold at the lowest market rates. WILLIAM B. WIER.

m18ism 81 Clay street above Front.

Miscellaneous.

Bridgeport Hotel.

THE subscribers having opened a commodious Hotel, at the CROSSING OF THE AGUA FRIO, formerly known as CHURCH & BARSTOW'S, beg to assure their friends and the travelling public generally, that the accommodations to be found at their House, are not to be surpassed by any other Hotel in the Interior. This Hotel being situated on the great thoroughfare from Mariposa and Agua Frio to the Lower Country, travellers are invited to give us a call and examine our arrangements. Our table will be supplied with the best that can be procured, and the Bar well stocked with good Liquors.

☞ Stabling, &c., for animals. ☜

BALES & CO.

Bridgeport, Aug. 25, 1854. au25 tf

Lots for Sale.

THE subscriber offers for sale on reasonable terms, several excellent Lots suitable for building purposes, situated on the west side of Charles street, between Seventh and Eighth streets, in the town of Mariposa.

Enquire at the El Dorado Restaurant, of

AUGUSTE PUJOL.

Mariposa, August 11, 1854. ag11-tf

CAPT. W. H. FOLGER. KENNETH McLEA.

Folger & McLea,

SHIP CHANDLERY,

SHIP AND STEAMER STORES,

Corner of Front and Pacific streets,

SAN FRANCISCO.

FOLGER & McLEA,

FOURNISSEURS de Provisions pour Navires, Batteaux, a Vapeurs et autres, au Coin des Rues Front et Pacifique, San Francisco. ag 4-3m

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YERBA BUENA

HOTEL.

KNOWN ALSO AS THE

PACIFIC TEMPERANCE HOUSE,

Nos. 87 and 89 Pacific street, between Sansome and Battery streets, San Francisco.

E. HYDE, Proprietor of the above named House, desires his friends and the public to know that he has recently enlarged, re-fitted and refurnished his Hotel, and is now prepared to furnish superior Lodgings for Gentlemen, Ladies, and Families.

HIS TABLE,

Also, is provided with the best the market affords, prepared by excellent Cooks, and served by the most civil and attentive waiters.

His guests will find every thing essential to comfort, with none of the annoyances connected with dramselling.

It is truly gratifying to him to see that those who have stopped with him once stop again when they come this way; and he would only add, that, in view of his extension and improvements, there is now room for both themselves and their friends; and if they cannot remember our new name, which, by the by, is the original name of our wonderful city, and will distinguish our House from every other in the world, (the principal reason why it was adopted,) they will, at least, remember No. 89 Pacific street, being on one of the principal thoroughfares leading from the Steamboat Landing.

N. B. Terms moderate

July 19, 1854. jy28-3m

PURE GROUND COFFEE

AND

SPICE

AT

BOVEE & CO.'S CELEBRATED

Steam Mills,

BROADWAY, SAN FRANCISCO.

THE INCREASED DEMAND FOR BOVEE & CO.'S Ground Coffee and Spices, has induced the proprietors to enlarge their facilities and renew their exertions.

To all those who have heretofore used their Coffee, they would assure them that they are determined to spare no pains to furnish the r-p-p-p-, to a truly PURE and Genuine article of

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They have recently erected Machinery, by which the smoke is driven from the Coffee the instant it is taken from the fire, thereby retaining its clear and genuine flavor, an operation which has only recently been introduced in the manufactory of Coffee, and never before in this country. Our Coffee is put up in desirable packages, and bears in name and lable. It can be procured at all the wholesale stores throughout the State.

W. H. BOVEE & CO.,

Mills, Broadway, between Dupont and Stockton sts.

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ap7-tf W. H. B. & CO.

$50,000

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Consequently we are now prepared to offer at wholesale or retail, to dealers, families, Hotel keepers, and others, our immense stock, at the lowest rates for cash. The above stock comprises in part the following articles:

Parlor Sets, Wardrobes;
Secretaries, Tables;
Chairs, Rockers;
200 Sofas, 200 Bureaus;
50 Chamber Sets;
Mattrasses, Feathers, Bedsteads;
Office Chairs, Office Desks;
Settees, Mirrors, &c., &c.

Our friends in Mariposa can rely upon finding at our warehouse every description of articles in the Furniture line, at prices which we guarantee shall be as low, for the same quality of goods, as at any other establishment in the city.

HOWES & CO.,

Remember the Nunber—

feb3-tf 180 Montgomery street.

The Subscriber

Forbids any person to Cut Wood or otherwise trespass on his premises, known as

"CUNNINGHAM'S RANCH,"

at Princeton, on the Stockton Road. He will point out the boundaries at any time to any person wishing him to.

He may be found on the premises.

Cunningham's Ranch, October 10, 1854.

o13-3t DAVID CUNNINGHAM.

SAMUEL H. PRICHARD,

WOULD respectfully offer his services to the Merchants in the Mines, as

COMMISSION BUYER OF GOODS,

In San Francisco, Office Corner of Sacramento and Battery streets.

All orders sent with the money necessary to pay for them, promptly filled at the lowest prices they can be bought, and the lowest rates of commission.

The Goods will be forwarded by an Agent in Stockton to any part of the Southern Mines.

For business qualifications he is permitted to give the following

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JOHN TAYLOR, Importer and Jobber of Druggist's Chemical, and Confectioner's Glassware, Perfumery, Fancy Goods, &c., 130 *Washington street, between Montgomery and Sansome, San Francisco*, has on hand a complete assortment of SHOP FURNITURE, and can fit out Drug Stores and Physician's offices at short notice. Also, Prescription Vials, Hair Oil, and Pomatum Bottles, Funnels, Graduates, Mortars and Pestles, Spatules, Syringes, Corks and Twine. Also, a fine assortment of Druggist's Perfumes and Liquer Labels, Combs, Brushes, Perfumery, packed with care. ju 9-3m

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Notice.

MISS HAGEN, of Liverpool, requests her nephew, Mr. JNO. F. RODGERS—should this advertisement meet his eye—to write her immediately, addressing his letter to the care of ROBERT RODGERS, Esq., San Francisco, who will forward it to England. sep8 14t

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Cook Wanted.

A GOOD COOK is wanted immediately. Enquire at "OUR HOUSE," Upper Agua Frio, of

o20-tf WM. KETTON & CO.

Carriage for Sale.

A FINE FAMILY CARRIAGE FOR SALE—Suitable for two Horses, and will seat Four persons—will be sold cheap for Cash, or exchanged for Barley.

Enquire at Taylor's Stable, where the Carriage can be seen.

San Francisco Advertisements.

Franklin House,

CORNER BROADWAY AND SANSOME STREETS,

SAN FRANCISCO.

SLOCUM, ROSS & WLTON,

Proprietors.

THE Proprietors take pleasure in announcing to the public that in addition to their former accommodations, they have added to their House a number of ROOMS TO BE APPROPRIATED TO THE USE OF FAMILIES. n3 3m

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REMOVAL.

Dr. J. C. Young,

HAS removed his office from 226 1-2 Dupont street to the corner of Montgomery and California streets, opposite the Banking House of Page, Bacon & Co., where he will be happy to consult with his former patrons, and treat scientifically and with discretion, all those who may require the services of a physician. The success of Dr. Young since his advent in this State, has been without a parallel, and he hopes by continued and untiring application to his profession, to remove from the public mind that lack of confidence which has so unhappily existed in regard to the medical profession in the State of California.

P. S.—All letters enclosing $10 will receive immediate attention. Direct box 735, Post Office, San Francisco.

N. B.—All papers in the State will please insert as special notice the above, for one month, and send bill to J. C. Young, M. D. dec4-tf

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DR. J. C. YOUNG,

OF SAN FRANCISCO.

READ AND REFLECT.

"If there is a hereafter,
(And that there is, conscience uninfluenced,
And suffered to speak out, tells every man,)
Then it is an awful thing to die,
More horrid yet to die by one's own hand,
Self-murder—name it not!
Shall Nature, swerving from her earliest dictate,
Self preservation, fall by its own act?
Forbid it, Heaven."

THE indulgence in secret practices is the most certain, though not always the most immediate and direct avenue to destruction. Physicians of all ages have been most unanimously of opinion that the loss of one ounce of the seminal secretions, by unnatural aid or emissions, weakens the system more than the abstraction of forty ounces of blood. One of the FIRST writers on medical jurisprudence states that three-fourths of the insane owe their malady to such abuse.

How important, then, it is—for every one having the least cause to suspect any trouble in that way, should attend to it immediately; even one single occurrence should be sufficient to cause doubt, and much more so if the person had ever indulged in the soul-killing habit. The treatment pursued by the justly celebrated Dr. J. C. Young, in cases of seminal weakness, impotency, sterility, nervous debility, and paralysis, (the last is the most dangerous, and when it once occurs, is incurable.) is surpassed by any physician in the country. It is the same as that followed by him for years, under the guidance of the world-renowned *Record* of Paris, and *Acton* of London. Dr. Young's office is corner of Montgomery and California streets, opposite Page, Bacon & Co., San Francisco, California, where he can be consulted upon that and all other private diseases, with the utmost confidence and secresy. Dr. Young will warrant a perfect and permanent cure, or make no charge.

N. B.—Letters enclosing $10 will receive prompt attention. The doctor's time being so much taken up that he cannot attend to letters unless paid for it.

P. S.—Apartments privately arranged.

A CARD.

FROM Dr. J. C. Young's Private Medical Office.—TO THE AFFLICTED.—In this age of progress, when science is developing itself in such a manner as to appear almost miraculous, everything in common place is looked upon as not worth notice. In view of this fact, DR. YOUNG, corner of Montgomery and California streets, San Francisco, California, has concluded to leave the beaten track hitherto pursued by most scientific physicians, (that of waiting for the public to find you out alone,) and publish to the world, as much as may be, his knowledge of the healing art, to let those who are in need of assistance know where they can find relief, without fear of being imposed upon.

In continuation of this object, Dr. Young would say that for the past ten years he has pursued the practice of medicine in one of the largest cities of the United States, with the highest success, and that his standing as a physician is without reproach, having at one time been lecturer at the University of Pennsylvania on venerial diseases, &c.

Upon all these considerations, Dr. Young has confidence in introducing himself to the public, knowing that they will sustain well earned merit.

The following are a few of the many testimonials, which have appeared in the public journals the last few years:

[From the Boston Medical Journal.]

Although we are opposed to the system of adverti ing, for good and sufficient reasons, still we deem it but justice to say that Dr. Young is one of the most industrious and indefatigable votaries of the medical science in the United States.

[From Professor Jackson.]

The subscriber is personally acquainted with Dr. Young, and has seen much of his practice, and can bear testimony to his merits as a practitioner.

[From the New York Herald.]

The eminence of this distinguished gentleman in his profession, and the very extended opportunities possessed by him for the observation of venereal disease, makes his services invaluable to those afflicted with the above complaints.

MEDICAL ADVICE.

DR. J. C. Young, who has become so celebrated for the thousands of cures which he has performed on old, chronic, mercurial, syphilitic, and all private diseases, without mercury, is consulted daily at his office, corner of Montgomery and California streets, from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. A cure guaranteed or no pay.

Dr. J. C. Young has probably had more practice in venereal diseases than any other physician in California. He cures all the most aggravated cases of this disease, and mild ones he removes in from two to five days. The doctor has for many years, been known as the most eminent and successful physician in the United States, and what is more important to the patient, he always effects a speedy and permanent cure.

Travelers, seamen, miners and others, who wish to be cured without mercury, hindrance from business, or exposure to friends, should apply to him as soon as possible, and a perfect cure will be guaranteed in all curable cases. Recollect the name and number, Dr. J. C. Young, corner of Montgomery and California streets.

Office open from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M.

CONSTITUTIONAL DEBILITY,

OR SEMINAL WEAKNESS.—Dr. Young addresses those who have injured themselves by private and improper indulgences in that secret and solitary habit which ruins the body and mind, unfitting them for either business or society. The following are some of the sad and melancholy effects produced by early habits of youth, viz: weakness of the back and limbs, in pain the head, dimness of sight, loss of muscular power, palpitation of the heart, dyspepsia, nervousness, irritability, derangement of the digestive functions, general debility, symptoms of consumption, &c.

Mentally the fearful effects on the mind are more to be dreaded. Loss of memory, confusion of ideas, depression of spirits, evil forebodings, aversion to society, self-distrust, love of solitude, timidity, &c., are some of the evils produced.

All persons who are afflicted with any of the above symptoms should not fail to call on Dr. Young, and be at once restored to perfect health. Let no false delicacy prevent you, but apply immediately, and save yourself from the dreadful and awful consequences of this terrible malady.

WEAKNESS OF THE ORGANS

immediately cured and full vigor restored.

DR. J. C. YOUNG,

Corner of Montgomery and California streets.

For sale as above, the celebrated French Lunar Pills, these pills are now acknowledged by the medical fraternity to be the only safe, mild and efficacious remedy to be depended upon in long standing cases of suppression, irregularity, or stopping of the functions of nature, the neglect of which is the source of such deplorable effects on the female frame.

N. B.—These pills are highly celebrated as a preventive.

Price $5 per box. DR. J. C. YOUNG,

Corner of Motgomery and California streets.

PRIVATE MEDICAL OFFICE.

HUNDREDS of those who have contracted disease are disappointed of a cure by not calling on DR. YOUNG at first. He will forfeit any sum if he fails to cure any case that may come under his care, no matter how long standing and afflicting, such as ulcers, tumors, nodes, bunches, pimples on the face and body, pains in the bones and joints, wakefulness, trembling, copper-colored sores, wasting of the bones, emaciation, loss of appetite, strength and flesh, sores in the nose and ears, loss of hair, weak eyes, itching humors, &c., &c. Many persons, after being relieved of all external appearances of private disease, suppose themselves cured, but after a few months find they are troubled with various symptoms which they never had before, and which they find it impossible to relieve.

To all who are afflicted in this way, Dr. Young would particularly recommend a trial of his skill. The symptoms with which you are troubled are caused by taints in the blood, which sooner or later will destroy your health and happiness. No person who has ever had an attack of any private complaint should fail to consult Dr. Young, and take a few bottles of his invaluable purifying medicine, as they can rest assured that their blood is in a perfectly pure and healthy condition, and that every trace of disease is removed from the system.

Recent cases cured in from two to five days, without change of diet or hindrance from business, or no charge.

DR. J. C. YOUNG,

Corner of Montgomery and Califonia streets.

Office hours from 9 A. M. to 8 P. M. j19-1y

HIGHLY IMPORTANT DISCOVERY.

DR. J. C. YOUNG, who is celebrated for curing all private complaints of both sexes, has discovered a remedy for the cure of old, long standing cases of gonorrhaea and gleets, which he has tried in more than one hundred cases, successfully, many of which had baffled the skill of eminent physicians for years; and in not one single case has it failed, nor can it ever fail, as the nature of the remedy is such that it strikes at the root of the complaint, and eradicates it completely in a few days. New cases cured in an incredibly short space of time, without change of diet or hindrance from business.

N. B.—A permanent cure guaranteed to all in the shortest possible time, or no pay will be taken.

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